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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE STILL WORKING ON MELBOURNE ROAD PROPOSITION

The regular session of the St. Cloud Chamber of Commerce held Wednesday noon, was called to order by President L. M. Parker. The minutes of the meeting of March 4th, were read and approved. The special order of business was the election of a new member of the Board of Governors, Mr. D. P. Eiselstein being chosen. The names of Messrs. Dr. J. D. Chunn, H. W. Egley and R. H. Johns were presented for membership and unanimously received. No report from the advertising committee.

Mr. A. L. Barlow, of the road committee, reported that the road work between here and Melbourne was progressing nicely, and that the road was in fairly good shape. He stated further, however, that nothing was being done in regard to completing the fill, and he moved that the secretary be instructed to write Governor Martin thanking him for his efforts of the past, and at the same time call his attention to the fact that no progress is being made [illegible] completion of the fill, and if the delay continues there is danger of heavy rains putting the road in an impassable condition.

The sign question arose again, and Mr. A. L. Barlow moved that a neat sign be secured showing the way and how far from Kissimmee to St. Cloud, and take the matter up with Mayor Commissioner Pat Johnston, of Kissimmee, and secure his consent to having it placed where the road turns off to St. Cloud. Mr. Barlow agreed to put the sign up if permission was secured.

A letter was read from the telephone company in regard to the petition sent in to the company recently. They stated that it would take about two months to get the cable in St. Cloud, and therefore it would be at least two months before work could be started on the proposed improvement.

A communication from Congressman Joe Sears in regard to the proposed river and harbor bill in which he stated that he was doubtful of the bill passing the Senate this session.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church asked permission for the use of the Chamber of Commerce room on February 21st, the same being granted.

Mr. Wm. Landiss introduced the new Red Cross Nurse, Miss Minnie Gamblin, of Chattanooga, Tenn. Miss Gamblin responded by stating that she would like to have the co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce and every citizen in her work. President Parker assured her that the Chamber of Commerce was at her command.

J. Edward Krause, of Runnymede Lodge, and Indianapolis, Ind., was then introduced by Secretary Phillips and made a short talk on the proposed golf course and the need of good roads, lake front improvement, drainage and telephone situations. His remarks were listened to with great interest and made quite an impression.

County Agricultural Agent June R. Gunn was then called on to give his opinion on the drainage situation. He responded by stating that they [illegible] had to stand together as a body and not as individuals, and put over the drainage proposition, and the sooner the better.

Rev. A. W. Hall, of the tourist club, was asked what had become of the proposed tourist auto camp, and he informed the Chamber that the committee had "hit a snag"—waiting on the plumber—but he had hopes that the new camp would be open this week.

Mr. A. S. McKay made an announcement to the effect that on next Wednesday a big fish dinner would be served at the Chamber, which was greeted with applause.

SURPRISE PARTY HONORING MR. AND MRS. H. M. BEERS

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 3rd, a surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Beers, of Norwalk, Conn., at their winter home on Louisiana avenue and Sixth street. A very delightful evening was spent in singing and dancing. Music was furnished by Mr. Ben Allen on the banjo, and Mr. Ed Siebel, on the guitar. Refreshments were served and the guests enjoyed themselves until a late hour.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Beers, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Guttery, Mr. and Mrs. Hazold Buttery and son Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. John Guthrie, Miss F. A. Roos, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Felsing, Miss Alice Moore, Mrs. Carrie Griswold, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Metzger, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Siebel, Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, Miss Mildred Crawford, Mrs. Elim Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Allen.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL HAS A GOOD YEAR

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Methodist Sunday School took place in the annex of the church on Tuesday evening of this week, with Dr. Ivor G. Hyndman, pastor of the church, presiding. The annual meeting, scheduled for the second Tuesday in January, was postponed until last Tuesday on account of the revival services being held at that time. The Sunday School has enjoyed a very good year just closed, the treasurer's annual report showing a total of $484.50 raised in the general fund, and [illegible] for missions, during 1924.

At the annual election of officers, Mr. J. H. Ferguson was re-elected superintendent and Mr. I. E. Diefendorf assistant. W. A. Arrowsmith was elected recording secretary with Miss Ruby Yeatman as assistant; J. W. Sage secretary of supplies; A. E. Cowger, treasurer; Mrs. Lue Landis, musical director; Mrs. O. P. Hollingsworth, primary superintendent and Mrs. Jennie Orr, superintendent of the Home department.

Teachers for the various classes were chosen as follows: Adult Bible Class, Rev. Wm. Landiss; Priscilla Class, Mrs. Wm. Landiss; Business Men's Class, Rev. C. L. Gould; Young Women's Class, Mrs. C. L. Gould; High School Class, Mrs. L. U. Zimmerman; Silent Class, F. E. Philpott; Jolly Junior Girls, Mrs. Nina Rummell; Intermediate Girls Class, Mrs. J. H. Ferguson; Intermediate Boys' Class, Rev. N. W. Beauchamp; Junior Girls, Miss Dorothy Ross; Junior Boys, Mrs. [illegible]; Children, Mrs. J. W. Sage, with Miss Mildred Ross as assistant; Organist for Primary Department, Mrs. J. D. Chunn.

The resignation of Mrs. Lue Hendrix as Superintendent of the Primary Department was received with regrets. Mrs. Hendrix has faithfully served as the head of this department of the Sunday School for some thirteen years, but has been forced to resign on account of ill health. A committee on resolutions in appreciation for her faithful service was appointed. Mrs. O. P. Hollingsworth, who has been serving as assistant primary superintendent, was elected as successor to Mrs. Hendrix.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION

The Woman's Improvement Club held its regular meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 4th, in the Library. President Grace Seymour called the meeting to order. Mrs. Rode, as secretary pro tem, read the minutes of the previous meeting which were approved with minor corrections. The treasurer's report was read and accepted.

The second number on the lecture course, which was given on Tuesday night, was discussed and it was decided by all to be the best entertainment of its kind ever given in St. Cloud. Mr. Rattle, the impersonator, is a "Prince of Entertainers," and the large attendance testified to the appreciation of the public of the high class of entertainments given by the club.

After the reading of the bills and correspondence, the principal business of the afternoon was taken up, the election of officers. The nomination committee read their report and the following ladies were unanimously elected. President, Mrs. Gertrude Zimmerman; 1st Vice, Dr. M. B. Cushman-Griswold; 2nd Vice, Rexine Porter; 3rd Vice, Grace Seymour; Recording Secretary, Mae George; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Grace Liggett; Treasurer, Mrs. Blackmun. The appointive offices will be announced by the new president at a later date.

The Club feels that with these able and efficient officers they will have a successful year. While the members of the club regret to lose Mrs. Grace Seymour for president, who has done noble work for the past two years, yet they realize that others must bear the burden and give her a much needed rest.

After the business session, Dr. Ivor G. Hyndman, pastor of the Methodist church, who was the entertainer for the social hour, gave a most interesting and instructive talk on South America, giving some vivid descriptions of the life and customs of this wonderful country. At the close of this most entertaining talk, a motion prevailed to adjourn, to meet Feb. 18th at the usual time and place.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY OBSERVED TODAY BY LOCAL G. A. R. POST

The members of the L. L. Mitchell Post G. A. R. and Women's Relief Corps, and other patriotic organizations in St. Cloud carried out the usual custom of observing Lincoln's birthday anniversary this morning. They assembled at the G. A. R. Hall at nine o'clock, and led by the fife and drum corps, paraded through the business section of the city, and returned to the hall where the address of the day was delivered by Rev. Wm. Landiss.

PRESBYTERIAN BAZAAR AND DINNER ON FEB. 21

The Ladies of the Presbyterian church have announced that on Saturday, February 21st, they will hold a mammoth bazaar and dinner at the Chamber of Commerce room on Tenth street. The ladies have been working diligently for several weeks preparing attractive and useful articles for sale at the bazaar.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church are taking an active part in securing a portion of the funds needed for the re-modeling of the church building, and those who purchase articles at the bazaar or attend the dinner, will be helping on a worthwhile cause. Those who have been present at the dinners in the past will need no second invitation, for they know they are assured of a real treat.

The new Presbyterian church, when completed, will be of attractive appearance the most modern in the city, [illegible] provided for all church activities. This bazaar will afford an opportunity for every citizen in St. Cloud to assist in this improvement.

HARMAN FOUNDATION AWARD GOES TO FT. LAUDERDALE

Word has been received in St. Cloud by Mr. Samuel Brannar, that the Harman Foundation has awarded the municipal playground to Ft. Lauderdale. St. Cloud and Ft. Lauderdale were the only cities in Florida qualified to receive assistance from the fund. In his letter to Mr. Brannar expressing his regret that St. Cloud did not receive an award, Mr. L. A. Bryson, associate director of the fund, states:

"More playgrounds are needed, and it is our hope that the interest this offer has aroused may stir public sentiment in your community to acquire now, before advancing real estate costs make land more difficult to secure, the play space needed by its present and future generations of boys and girls. Please feel that we still retain our interest in your playground problem and earnestly hope that it may be carried to a successful conclusion.

"An announcement will soon be made of a new offer of smaller contributions to assist cities in obtaining their own playgrounds, and because of your interest and activity in the above competition, you will be given a preferred position in the new offer."

DR. DODDS ERECTING MODERN OFFICE BUILDING

A real estate transfer occurred this week in which a valuable property in the business section of the city changed hands, when Dr. Wm. H. Dodds purchased the property of George W. Hastings at the southeast corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Eleventh street. This property includes a one story brick building containing two store rooms, now occupied by The Variety Store and the Summers Furniture Store.

On the vacant lot in the rear of the present brick building Dr. Dodds has under construction an office building, which will be modern in every respect, which he hopes to occupy by March 1st. The present building occupied by Dr. Dodds as an office recently changed hands and he was forced to vacate by March 1st, location he finally decided to purchase the above property from Mr. Hastings and erect an office designed especially for his needs.

AGRICULTURAL BOYS VISIT SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR SATURDAY

Last Saturday Professor A. J. Geiger and three of the boys of St. Cloud High School, Preston Johnson, Leslie Washington and Ray Clevenger who were chosen from the Agriculture Class as a team, motored to South Florida Fair at Tampa for the purpose of taking part in the judging contest by the different schools of the state. The prizes will be published in a later issue of the paper and we hope the St. Cloud boys do as well this year as they did last.

THIEVES AT WORK IN ST. CLOUD RECENTLY

On last Saturday night some one broke into Matthew's Grocery, on New York avenue between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, and took several articles of small value and quite a sum of [illegible] which had been left in the cash register. As no steps were taken to apprehend the guilty parties, the same offense was tried last Tuesday but with little success. The rear door of the store was slightly damaged, but no further loss has been reported.

WASHINGTON'S ADDRESS

A number of copies of Washington's Farewell Address have been prepared by the St. Cloud Tribune and will be on sale at the Tribune office. Each booklet is bound in a neat cover and will make a wonderful souvenir for your friends as well as for your own use. Call and get a copy.

ST. CLOUD MOURNS LOSS OF PIONEER CITIZEN IN DEATH OF J. I. CUMMINGS

In the death of Comrade J. I. Cummings, this city has lost one of its most valued and respected citizens. He was one of that small group of pioneers who, in 1909, as they gazed over what was then a vast expanse of barren waste bordering on one of the most beautiful of Florida's numberless lakes, provisioned an ideal site for what was destined to become by the labor of both mind and body what is now justly termed, "The Wonder City," and a home for such of these aged veterans of the Civil War, [illegible] turmoil, vexation and never-ceasing anxieties, hope to pass their declining years amid quiet and peaceful surroundings in a climate which promised health, comfort and prolonged life. It may truthfully be said that no one man made more sacrifices, labored more diligently and taxed both body and mind to produce this Wonderland than the deceased. In all matters pertaining to the welfare of the community and the betterment of the city, he was found among those progressives whose foresight and wisdom were proven to be rightly directed by the results attained.

He was called to fill most of the city offices from time to time and his reputation for probity and fair dealing was such that whenever he became a candidate for a place of public trust and responsibility, it was generally known that it was the office seeking the man. His was a busy life. He found little time to mingle with the comrades or participate in those games in which most of them passed their time. His only recreation was found in his home, where among the most cherished of his "household goods" was a billiard table, and at some intervals when he could snatch an hour or two for play, he would invite a few other "Knights of the Cue" and the hours they passed were all too short.

In all G. A. R. affairs there was no member of the local post more active or took a deeper interest in its affairs. He had filled all official positions at one time or another, and was always ready to respond cheerfully to any call made upon him in an emergency.

In his married life he was truly blessed, for his wife was not only a devoted and loving companion ever watchful of his welfare, but likewise a sympathizer, tireless co-worker in all ways whereby she could aid and assist him. She has long been identified with the W. R. C. and other orders, whether affiliated with the G. A. R. or I. O. O. F., and called to fill many posts of honor and responsibility. In her bereavement she will have hosts of kind friends to sympathize with her, seek by acts of kindness to assuage her grief and reconcile her in time to her loss.

The funeral of Comrade Cummings took place on Tuesday, Feb. 6th, and was the largest in the city's history, [illegible] Hall which proved too small for the purpose. All stores were closed and business suspended from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. The local G. A. R. Post and I. O. O. F. lodge attended in full numbers. The latter order's ritual, and that of the G. A. R. were observed at the grave in the last ceremony.

For some years it had been a post assigned Comrade Cummings at G. A. R. funerals to close the impressive services by sounding "taps" which might be aptly and reverently termed the last earthly farewell to the freed spirit in its flight to those realms where only is found everlasting peace and contentment.

(It has been a mooted question of late years as to the youngest surviving Civil War Veteran. The comrade whom we are here lamenting, was born in 1850. Does that settle the question?)

At the close of the ritual service at the grave, Comrade Metzler read with deep feeling and pathos, the following beautiful poem:

"Sleep, Comrade, Sleep"

"Sleep, Comrade, sleep and take your rest,
The battle's o'er, and on your breast
The flag you loves lies folded.
Your Comrades gather 'round your bier
And down the cheek the silent tear is stealing:
They know your valor and your worth,
But ne'er again upon this earth they'll greet you,
But on beyond the picket line
Where Christ commands in Camp Divine,
They'll greet you.
Sleep on my Comrade, take your rest,
Life's bells are o'er, and on your breast
The flag you loved lies folded."

DREAM OF PIONEERS OF ST. CLOUD BEING REALIZED IN RAPID GROWTH OF CITY

The dream of the stalwart pioneers, who braved the hardships of building a new town in what was a veritable wilderness when St. Cloud first started the building of a city, will be realized beyond their fondest expectations within the next ten years, from present business activities which every day grow in proportions.

It is to be regretted that many of these pioneers, who had been pioneers in northern cities years before, have not lived to see their dream come true, but their successors are demonstrating the same progressive traits in city building and will "carry on" the work these valiant veterans gave such a good start.

St. Cloud has never been a boom city, as some of the northern and western towns of ancient history, but has been sold to people from the north on its merits. It has weathered many adverse conditions that would ordinarily destroy any city, and today stands forth with the finest opportunities offered to the homeseeker to be found in the state. This statement will be vouched for by any real estate dealer in Florida and homeseeker as well, after they have looked the state over covered prices and investigated health and living conditions in general.

St. Cloud offers the ideal place for a year-round home, because the climate is ideal twelve months in the year. It offers a desirable place for the tourist who is pleasure bent, because of the fine fishing, hunting and delightful fresh water lakes for bathing. Good roads lead in and out of the city for cross state or other travels to view the scenery of the whole peninsula. We are not selfish enough to say come here and not see the whole state.

The agricultural development has been increasing from year to year and orange groves planted by the pioneers of fifteen years ago have been each year increasing in production and now this section of Osceola county ships more fruit than the rest of the county.

St. Cloud as a city has changed its government three times in keeping abreast of modern methods, and the new city commission now on the job promises to bring about the greatest development the city has ever experienced.

New and modern buildings are going up all over the city and plans for some of the biggest structures in the county are now being worked out to meet the needs of the growth of the city. Full details of these plans cannot be given out just now, but architects are working an designeers are [illegible] working and engineers are a few years in the future and results will soon be manifest.

Street paving has been going on from time to time and much more is being called for by property owners. It is hoped by the progressive members of the Chamber of Commerce and business men in general that these additions may be reached within the next few months.

Additions to the water and sewer system have been made every month since the new city plant was opened and it has been a severe task on the city officials to keep up with the demands for further extensions.

The addition of a modern system of white way lighting during the past few weeks, which will be completed in a few days has made a wonderful improvement in the appearance of the city business section.

Great development along the lake front is also being planned as new people have only recently purchased most of this.

Before long there will be a fleet of fine motor boats on the lake, a fine driveway will be constructed along the beach and things that have been talked of from time to time will make St. Cloud the finest inland city in the state.

Of course the population is growing, but not like boom towns. It's of a permanent nature.

This pleasing business condition comes as a result of the untiring efforts of some real pioneers, coupled with the brains of energetic younger folks, and money from men who have faith in the future of the city.

Are you doing your share to help this development continue? Think this over, and put your shoulder to the wheel now. The hardest part has been done, from now on it's only a matter of co-operation that is needed to make the city grow.

CITY COMMISSION CONSIDERS MANY CIVIC IMPROVEMENTS

At the meeting of the City Commission held Monday night paving resolutions were adopted making assessments against property owners for the paving recently completed, and an ordinance covering the resolution was also adopted.

The city clerk was instructed to secure an estimate on proposed extension of the new White Way lighting system, and also prices on brick for paving extensions.

Commissioner J. J. Johnston was unanimously elected as Mayor-Commissioner Pro-Tem.

FIRST MEETING IN NEW W. C. T. U. TEMPLE OF MINNIE E. NEAL UNION LAST FRIDAY

The St. Cloud Union of the W. C. T. U. met in regular session on February 6th, at the new Temple on Eleventh street. Devotionals were conducted by Mrs. Houseman, followed with "America." The minutes of the last meeting were read and after correction were approved. The treasurer's report was accepted as read. Mrs. L. M. Parker reported entertaining Miss Neal and Mrs. Laurance during their two days' stay in St. Cloud and served breakfasts. Mrs. Miner and Mrs. Laurance did nicely in collections for the Temple Fund.

Mr. Smith gave prices on chairs, and the same being satisfactory, 100 were ordered by the society. Mrs. Westcott gave the idea of a Memorial $1.00 Fund to be collected by autographs. A vote taken prevailed that the fund be started at once. The W. C. T. U. will meet regularly at 3:00 p. m. instead of 2:30 as heretofore, and it is hoped by this change to increase the attendance.

The District Convention which was held in St. Cloud on Jan. 20th, was well attended and enjoyed, bringing to us new ideas and present day methods of advancing the temperance work.

The Sunshine Collection amounted to $4.33.

Fifteen years ago, in February 1910, this union, the Minnie E. Neal Union, was organized by Mrs. Westcott and at that time the meetings were held in a tent. St. Cloud was then in its infancy, and only a few members remain to tell the memorable story of the W. C. T. U.'s beginning in this city, namely: Mrs. Westcott, Mrs. Fennimore, Mrs. Hargrave and Mrs. Bly.

A motion was made and prevailed to banquet the faculty of the public school in the near future, the date being left to the convenience of the teachers.

We cannot close this report without giving a detailed report of this meeting. Being the first one held in the new temple, although not finished, the attendance was close to one hundred, everybody seemed happy, enthusiastic, and money ran rampant when it came to purchasing chairs. Everyone who wanted a seat was willing to pay for one or more chairs. The "heavyweights" being in the lead decided on the quality with a caution to secure substantial chairs. It was so ordered, and a general handshake ensued.

The demise of Comrade J. I. Cummings was touchingly referred to by Mr. Z. H. Smith, and resolutions were passed asking the secretary to write a letter of sympathy on behalf of the Union to Mrs. Cummings.

Mrs. Morris, a tourist stopping at the Penn-Flora, spoke of the interior finish of the Temple and gave a favorable comparison with the interior of other public buildings she had visited.

Mrs. Houseman was able to be present, and was dressed in lavender and satin, giving an air of "reception" to the occasion and spoke of her part in the Temple Fund. Miss Rickard spoke of the possibilities of a club room being built on the vacant lot in the near future, with the possibility of securing aid by bequest or as a memorial which would be an emblem to pass to the world in a noteworthy cause.

LOCAL TEAMS WIN IN BASKET BALL GAME FRIDAY

Last Friday a double header basket ball game was played at the city park when the girls kept up their honor by defeating the girls' team from Lake Wales by a score of 19 to 7 and the boys [illegible]. Next Friday the Haines City teams will be here and it is hoped that the home teams will keep up their honors.

BAILEY'S DISPLAYS HUGE SWISS CHEESE LAST WEEK

Bailey's Grocery had on display quite a curiosity last week in the form of a huge genuine Swiss cheese weighing 136 pounds. This was the first opportunity many St. Cloud people ever had of seeing a genuine Swiss Cheese, and it created such a demand that the entire 136 pounds were sold in one day.

ST. CLOUD TO HAVE A NEW UP-TO-DATE PRESSING CLUB

Word has been received that a new up to date pressing club will open for business next Monday in the back of Scofield Brothers Gents Furnishing Store. The people will be pleased to hear of this new improvement and further announcement will be in the paper later.

ST. CLOUD REALTY BOARD ORGANIZED LAST TUESDAY

A meeting of the local real estate men of St. Cloud was held at the Chamber of Commerce room last Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing the St. Cloud Realty Board. Several matters pertaining to the organization were discussed, and another meeting has been called for next Tuesday evening at the same place to complete the steps of organization.

A WANING NUISANCE

The rural billboard nuisance is at last beginning to yield to the pressure of public opinion. Years will probably [illegible] before it has been finally abated; but in the meantime it is encouraging to note how many enlightened advertisers — great corporations whose [illegible] and real vision — have had a change of heart and have begun to see what widespread resentment they have aroused by their defacement of rural beauty. In some cases self-interest has pointed the way to a new policy. In many others honest public spirit and unselfish desire to rid our charming and otherwise peaceful countryside of shrieking and blatant signboards have brought about the happy change.

It is right to say that some of the worst atrocities of rural advertising have been perpetrated, not in cold blood, not in wanton defiance of the rights of the public, but in the heat and fury of the sharpest sort of commercial competition. More than once competing advertisers who have been vying with each other in hectic campaigns to plaster every main-traveled road with objectionable signboards have welcomed the proposal of a civic club or of a disinterested individual that all immediate competitors simultaneously abandon their unsightly rural signboards. This course has met with signal success in England, in Massachusetts and elsewhere.

Such friendly arrangements constitute a long and firm stride in the right direction, for all experience teaches that it is infinitely more effective to convince a man that he ought to alter his commercial methods than it is to jam a statute through the legislature and to restrain him by threat of fine or jail.

Legislation, however, is not without [illegible] Massachusetts, for example, took the matter so seriously that she amended her constitution so as to give the legislature power to "regulate and restrict all outdoor advertising within public view," and also made it legal for towns and cities to pass local ordinances restricting billboards. Iowa, too, has enacted progressive legislation along somewhat similar lines and has thereby set an example that other commonwealths may well study.

The kernel of the whole situation, the underlying principle upon which some control may be based, has never been better stated than by [illegible] the National Association of Real Estate Boards:

"The view from the highway does not belong to the individual who owns the property along the right of way. It is a community possession."

Massachusetts appears to have accepted this simple principle, lock, stock and barrel; and no doubt other commonwealths whose citizens are inspired by a like pride in local scenic beauty will presently follow suit.

Nobody has been more active or effectual in stirring up public country billboards than the National Committee for the Restriction of Outdoor Advertising; and much credit for what has already been accomplished is due to its chairman, Mrs. W. L. Lawton, of Glen Falls, New York. One reason that Mrs. Lawton and her colleagues have been able to do so much is that they have voluntarily narrowed down their field of operation to that portion of outdoor display advertising which is calculated to impair scenery, civic beauty or residential values. They have made no declaration of war upon billboards as an advertising medium, but confine their attentions to the vicious five per cent of the total number. Last summer members of this committee and of the fifty organizations which are co-operating [illegible] advertisers about a thousand personal letters each week making earnest protests and explaining how unfavorably prospective consumers react to the selling talk on their misplaced signboards. There is every possibility that the impression made by these letters will be deepened by those that will go out next season.

It is pleasant to note that some of the advertising companies which maintain great numbers of outdoor signboards have formed an organization for the voluntary control and restriction of this form of publicity with special reference to the location and artistic character of the signs displayed. Their efforts to confine their customers' displays to urban sites and to recognize the rights of the public to the enjoyment of rural scenic beauty, undefaced by the hand of man, are in a high degree praiseworthy.

Friendly co-operation will go a long way toward abating the billboard [illegible] legislation, to take care of those who will not listen to the voice of public opinion, should practically finish the job within a few years.—Editorial in Saturday Evening Post, January 25, 1925

As is well known, Florida is the source of most of the fullers earth used in America. It has various uses, but something different has been found for it, that of making face packs in city beauty parlors, where female seekers for beauty find it brings out latent color and otherwise enhances the attractiveness of their faces.

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and

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Conducted by

RAYMOND T. RICHEY

In the Big Tabernacle

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MUSIC CONDUCTED BY A. J. RICHEY, Leader and Soloist

Bring the sick for prayers—for healing.

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ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Among Abraham Lincoln's first cases was one in which there was little chance of success, but he did succeed with it and received a fee of five hundred dollars. "Why, I never had so much money in my life [illegible], as he counted it over in the presence of a friend. "I have got just five hundred dollars. If it were only seven hundred and fifty, I would go directly and purchase a quarter section of land and settle it upon my old step-mother." His friend loaned him the difference, taking his note for it, and then advised him not to give the land to his step-mother outright but to settle it upon her for her use during during her lifetime. To which Lincoln said: "I shall do no such thing. It is a poor return at best for all the good woman's devotion and fidelity to me, and there is not going to be any half-way business about it."

Not Fit for the Presidency

Early in 1860, Lincoln was often mentioned for the Republican nomination for president. Though he was classed with Seward, Chase, McLean and other celebrities, any pride he felt in the association was artfully concealed. In all cases, he discouraged mention of his name in this relation. To one man who proposed it, he wrote: "I beg you will not give it further mention. Seriously, I do not think I am fit for the presidency."

The Ugliest Man

Lincoln related this story: "One day, riding on the circuit, I was accosted by a stranger, who said, excuse me, sir, but I have an article in my possession who belongs to you." Lincoln wanted to know how that was. The stranger took a jack-knife from his pocket. "This knife," said he, "was placed in my hands some time ago with the injunction that I was to keep it until I found a man uglier than myself. Allow me to say, sir, that I think you are fairly entitled to the property." [illegible] illustrate Lincoln's appreciation of a joke, even when it was upon himself.

An Old Sign

The day before Lincoln left for Washington to be inaugurated president, he visited his old law office and spent some time in reminiscences with his partner, William Herndon. As he was about to go, he remarked, "Billy, you and I have been together for more than twenty years and have never passed a word. Will you let my name stay on the old sign until I come back from Washington?" With tears in his eyes, Mr. Herndon replied: "Mr. Lincoln, I will never have another partner while you live." The firm remained Lincoln & Herndon and its business was transacted under that title until Mr. Lincoln's death.

Presidency Not a Bed of Roses

An intimate friend from Springfield found President Lincoln much depressed. Mr. Lincoln arose from his sofa and said, "you know better than any man living that, from my boyhood up, my ambition was to be president. I am president of one part of this divided country, at least; but look at me! Oh, I wish I had never been born! I've a white elephant on my hands, one hard to manage. With a fire in my front and rear to contend with, the jealousies of the military commanders and, not receiving that cordial co-operative support from congress that could reasonably be expected with an active and formidable [illegible] the very lifeblood of the government, my position is anything but a bed of roses."

VETERANS MEETING

After an absence of two weeks our President Kenney was with us to open the meeting.

America was the opening song.

Prayer by Brother Westcott who also has been absent for a couple of weeks.

Reading of the minutes of the previous meeting. Announcements read. Florida sung, collection taken.

President Kenney introduced Comrade S. S. Green of Buffalo, who would give his lecture on "A horseback ride of twenty six days through Palestine." 2

Dr. Green remarked that the "S. S." before Green stood for Sunday school due to his goodness.

While on a trip around the world he first sailed to Joppa where he encountered a storm at night. Joppa like many eastern ports has no docks and could not land until later. He visited the house of Simon Peter, the tanner, went to Jerusalem on horseback, stopped at Lydia where Dorcas was raised from the dead. Passed Rummel tower where he ascended by way of a spiral stairway from where he saw the birth place of John the Baptist and Mt. Carmel. When he descended from the tower there were about 30 lepers crying "backshee" meaning money from whence they get their living. He there changed his mode of travel to a coach passing over the plain of Sheron. The ground was covered with roses, but they resembled poppies more than roses, found but very little land under cultivation saw one wheat field where the wheat was being threshed out with two white faced oxen.

When Dr. Green registered at Jerusalem he found several other parties from Buffalo also. On the following day he with his new found friends traveled together, visiting the Holy Sepulchre, Saint Stephens gate, Bethlehem, the place of our Savior's birth, Rebecca's tomb, and then to the field of Boaz where Ruth gleaned.

They then traveled on toward Jordon remaining over night at a monastery, where there were some forty or fifty monks in their large room. There was a rope stretched across, from where bells of every description were hanging, and at twelve o'clock these bells all rang to call the monks to their midnight prayer.

The next day they traveled to the Dead sea bathed in its waters, from thence to the river Jordan where John baptized, and then on to where the water was divided for the Egyptians to pass through into the Promised land. That night they staid at Jericho, and spent the day in visiting historical scenes at Jerusalem. Some of these places they were not permitted to go very near to, the Turks being too much in evidence.

Dr. Green pleased his large audience for one hour without getting over all the grounds. We hope at some time to hear the remainder of this very interesting lecture. The meeting closed with the singing of The Star Spangled Banner.

MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION

The Michigan Association held its regular monthly meeting on Feb. 4, at the Club house with about 100 members and friends present. Meeting opened at 2:30 with the song, America by all.

Invocation by the Chaplain, Mr. Hale.

Minutes of the previous meeting read approved. Treasurer reported $20.50. Committee on Decorations reported and a bill was presented of $6.55, moved that the report be accepted. Committee discharged, and a bill be drawn by the secretary for the [illegible] motion carried that Mr. James Goff be added to the Committee on Resolutions in place of Mr. Cummings. A rising vote of thanks was given to the Committee on Decorations for the work they had done in beautifying the Rostrum. Motion made that we have an open forum at the next meeting.

Everyone told how they came to be here and why they are here.

We were then entertained by a very fine program with Mrs. Goff as leader.

Song, Mr. Shore, Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep.

Reading by Mrs. Bullard, That Little Chap of Mine. Also the prices thirty years ago.

Reading, Hattie Goff, An Old Friend, Edgar Guest.

Song, Miss Emerson, Today.

Reading, Mr. Goff, My Home is in Old Michigan.

Talk by Mrs. Lang, a short sketch of Africa.

Song, Send the light.

Reading Mr. Bullard, The Measure of a Man.

Reading, Mrs. L. J. French, Michigan Potatoes, Also a Florida Sunset.

Closing with the Song, Florida.

Whereas, The Michigan Association [illegible] ing on of another one of our well beloved members, J. L. Cummings.

Therefore, be it resolved, That as an Association we offer to the bereaved famil your heartfelt sympathy in this hour of affliction, and may "He who tempers the wind to the shorn lamb," be very near to comfort and sustain them.

FRANCES R. RILEY,
JAMES GOFF,
L. A. FRENCH, Committee.

LOW BID SUBMITTED FOR ROAD $135,863

Tallahassee, Fla., Feb. 5.—F. S. Whitney, of St. Augustine, submitted the low bid among those opened today by the state road department for the construction of 7.69 miles of [illegible] way on State Road No. 8 from the Osceola county line to the St. Johns river. The bid, $135,863.40 was on a 17-foot, 5-inch rock base structure.

On Feb. 20 the department will open bids for the St. Marys river bridge on state road number 3, and also on construction of that road from the river to two miles south of Yulee.

On March 4 the department will open bids for a stretch of road number five in Hillsboro county.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Rev. Callan and the Brotherhood Class, The Odd Fellows, The G. A. R. Post, W. R. C. and Department Officers for their expressions of sympathy, aid and flowers from the many friends during our recent bereavement. We deeply appreciate the [illegible] shown the departed loved one by the closing of all business houses during the services. We sincerely thank Eisenstein Bros. for their kind thoughtfulness, also the Choir for music rendered.

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THE END OF THE HUNTING TRIP

I put out my hand and touched his hair which gleamed in the sunlight sifting through the trees.

"I'm sorry," I murmured softly, "so sorry."

"Why should you be?" he asked at the same time taking my hand and holding it firmly in his own.

"I always bring brightness wherever I go, except to you," was my explanation and there was pathos in my voice. "I'm sorry for whatever it is that makes you feel like this."

He glanced up swiftly and looked deep into my eyes.

"Don't you know what it is, Sallie Haven't you guessed? Can't you see that I'm mad for you, and that I love you, love you, love you."

Strangely enough he was agitated while I felt only a sweet calm as if my heart were singing a carol of joy.

"Then why so lugubrious about it?" I laughed. "I adore you too, Curtiss and have from the time you wouldn't let me kiss you that first night. I wonder if you've changed your mind about it NOW?" I cajoled, putting my face against the rough khaki of his shirt.

"My darling, my beautiful, precious sweetheart. How I love you. You are everything I have longed for—but I cannot fight against my love. You are all beauty and allure. Every note of my being throbs for you. I love you and I want you so."

A bird's clear call to its mate—the water, like tinkling bells, danced over the rocks and the wind made music in the trees. All the world seemed made for romance.

I do not know how long we lingered, for Love takes no cognizance of time. There were no more discussions of vexing problems, only platitudes of lovers whispered with a meaning that was wonderful and new.

The shadows lengthened and the sun went down bathing everything in a glory of gold. Slowly we walked back to the camp. Curtiss at the side of the narrow path, I in it, hand in hand. The others had returned and the odor of bacon and other appetizing food drifted out through the open door. They gave us a friendly greeting. I smiled and sang out a merry paraphrase.

"Home is the hunter home from the hill.

With only a maiden to show for his skill."

I left early the next morning for Jacksonville, promising the Hulls to return again. Curtiss and I had only time for hurried adieus as my train left just after dawn. He continued to Miami, having previously made a business engagement there.

Father had not returned from Atlantic Beach but Dr. Gray assured me that he was entirely out of danger and that a few more weeks would see him quite well.

The big house was lonely and there was only Mom Nellie to welcome me home.

The telephone rang.

"Lord bless you honey—dat telafoam has been ringing' its head plum off but no sech develish thing as that could make me talk." Mom Nellie complained.

I answered. It was long distance.

"Hello Sallie, old dear." It was Ellie Mitchell's voice.

"Where are you Ellie?" I asked.

"In Pensacola. Mother and Dad have decided to take the Mediterranean cruise and would wish their offspring on you for lo these many days. But don't get alarmed old dear, I'm hopping off later to Miami and Palm Beach. Don't think I'm going to park at your house while they sail leisurely 'round the world."

Finally I got in a word and made her promise to come right along. Then I spoke to Mrs. Mitchell and assured her that Ellie would be a joy, explaining that Father was still at the Beach and that I was all alone.

She would arrive tomorrow and [illegible]

I had scarcely replaced the receiver when the bell jangled again.

This time it was Bob.

"Hello, Sarah, we've been pining away for a glimpse of you. Marj instructed me to call you and say we wanted you for dinner so that we can hear all the gory details of the call of the wild."

He was jolly, we chatted frivolously for a while and I no longer felt that I was alone in the world.

"Well, what time shall I come and become you around?"

"Why, Bob, let me see. I must have an hour of the sort of cleanliness that is akin to godliness—What? NOPE a shower WON'T do."

"Say when?"

"Gee, that sounds natural!" I exclaimed then I hesitated, "Listen Bob, will Ted Billings be there?"

"Not unless you're dying for a glance at him. I'm not" he laughed.

"You go to the Devil."

"I am as fast as I can" he exclaimed.

"Be serious Bob for a minute, if it kills you. Don't have Ted."

"Certainly not. We've got a [illegible] I've promised him the prettiest, most scintillating girl in the South."

"Be here at eight!" I called through the phone.

SALLIE STUDIES THE JOE SCHUYLER TYPE

"Peppy, scintillating" I remembered what Bob had said. The strange man to whom he had sounded my praises certainly would find me "that." The reaction had set in from the excitement of the hunt and I was feeling decidedly low in spirit and mind.

I recalled the happy hours with Curtiss the last day before we had broken camp. I had never been so absolutely happy. But that was different, I had him by my side. Why had he gone to Miami? Business—Well what of it. He probably was the sort who would always put business first. After the discovery of our love, he had left me when, of all times, he should have permitted his heart to rule his head and thrown more serious problems to the winds.

It wasn't as if he had to go to close the contract. What was one job more or less in his life? He had money. Bob had told me so.

I wanted him now. I needed his arms about me and assurances of his love. The house was lonely and because I had returned a day earlier than I expected, it was cold.

I rather enjoyed putting on evening clothes again after the rough things I had worn at camp I loved the caress of the soft lace and chiffon. I had been thrilled with the few days of the hunt but it really was good to be back in civilization again.

I had chosen my most becoming gown. Why, I do not know. It couldn't be that I wanted to "vamp" the new man at Marjorie's for dinner. I loved Curtiss and couldn't possibly be interested in any one else and yet it was unreasonable of him to leave me all alone.

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Bob's "surprise" was Joe Schuyler from New York. He and Bob had been class mates at Yale. He was decidedly the type that is well known to girls who have gone out a lot. Of an athletic build, he danced like he had made a business of it. He would jump up during dinner, grab the nearest girl and dance to the radio or turn on the Victrola's latest jazz.

Every other word was slang amusing and sensational. Unless one were accustomed to it, he might even be conversing in a foreign tongue. Joe was an only son and as he admitted, [illegible] devising new amusements to keep from being bored."

He spent his week ends in the fashionable suburbs of New York and "Philly," where he admitted [illegible] number of [illegible] drop in at any time and feel perfectly at home. His greeting to me was 'that there was only one drawback.'

"What's that? I'm flattered that there's only one."

"You're not married, and I never chase around with single girls. There are too many charming matrons who are "misunderstood" and "unappreciated" and who need an alert young man to hold their hands."

"You're frank, at least" was my reply.

Joe was also one of the "do you know" kind. During dinner he asked each of us about a dozen persons who were prominent in Palm Beach and New Beach and New York. Of course, we knew some of them but what of it? I decided that night that if I ever had a daughter or son I would rather they'd be anything than a "do you know" kind.

They all had champagne and were frankly amazed because I gave mine to Bob.

"What's the matter? Did life in the open make you so pure," Joe Schyler asked.

"It's too precious to waste and I've sorter sworn off" I explained.

"Go on, Sallie—You didn't even have a cocktail. As your hostess, I insist. You've been acting too dignified. Not at all like Sallie we have raved about to Joe." Marjorie declared.

Bob remained silent.

I love champagne. I wanted some too but I had made an agreement anythin gto drink because I knew how proud Curtiss had been of me because I had let it alone at the camp.

"Too bad you picked on me for the night to abstain" Joe Schuyler complained. "I've been hearing some mighty wonderful things about you too. Come on Sallie" he urged. "This might be the last bubble water you'll get on this side of the pond. He called me by my first name. No one's name had a prefix to the Joe Schuyler of the world.

I was getting Mid-Victorian and likewise was having a rotten time. It's boring being the only sober one in the crowd. You have a different [illegible] This last number fairly [illegible] to the others were perfectly straight to me. There's not even [illegible] one to talk to because they don't want to dwell on any one subject. I wished that I had stayed at home. I was feeling bilger all the while.

(To Be Continued)

KISSIMMEE VOTES BONDS FOR PAVING

Work on 37 Street Ordered At Cost of $100,000

Kissimmee.—The biggest public improvement program ever inaugurated in Kissimmee was decided upon at a mass meeting of citizens last night when the city commissioners were authorized to order paving laid on 37 different streets, making a total of about 10 miles. This, in addition to the eight miles of paving which is just being completed, is expected to give Kissimmee a greater number of hard surfaced streets than any city of its size in Florida.

The mass meeting was called by the city commissioners at the insistence of property owners who had been left out of the original paving program.

Before proceeding the commissioners desired to ascertain the sentiment of all the people so in conjunction with the Chamber of Commerce, it was decided to hold a mass meeting. The paving will be put in under the [illegible] plan, property owners on both sides of the street splitting seventy per cent of the cost.

The 300 citizens and taxpayers present at the meeting voted unanimously in favor of the entire paving program and also in favor of a bond issue. It is estimated the paving will cost $100,000.

As the city can issue only $152,000 more bonds to reach its limit of bonded indebtedness it is planned to submit a bond issue of $152,000 to the voters and devote the difference to sewers and water mains.

CONWAY CHAMBER DISCUSSES OPENING OF NARCOSSEE ROAD

At an enthusiastic meeting of the Conway Chamber of Commerce last night the opening of the Narcoossee road was the main topic of discussion. It was reported that the county commissioners had approved the opening of the new road at a meeting last Tuesday.

The chamber passed a resolution to appoint a committee, which would confer with the Orlando and Orange chambers of commerce asking them to co-operate with the Conway chamber to make the opening a great success. The chamber also appointed another committee to confer with the commissioners to further the same plan.

The Narcoossee road will be another splendid asset added to Florida's long list. The road will be one of the main arteries to the southern part of the state.—Orlando Morning Sentinel, Feb 8.

Twenty years of active experience in business, and a thoughtful analysis of the various phases of business derived from this experience, convince me that both a moral and social consciousness has been developed within business during that period.—Louis Wiley.

WRIGLEY IS ELECTED HEAD OF CORPORATION

P. K. Wrigley, [illegible] president of the Wm. Wrigley Jr. Co., [illegible] Chewing Gum Corporation.

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His father, Wm. Wrigley Jr., now becomes Chairman of the Board of Directors.

TEMPORARY GUESTS HAD GOT BUSY WITH LABELS

Young Mrs. X is a very fine housekeeper. Everything in her little apartment is immaculate. It was with some misgivings, therefore, that on going away for a couple of weeks with her husband she turned over the apartment to her rollicking brother and a bachelor friend. She was particularly proud of her bathroom, which had recently been done over, and as a hint to the boys she hung a piece of Turkish toweling on the door with a tag attached which read: "This cloth is to be used for washing out the tub after you bathe."

Directly on returning home she made a tour of inspection, and here is what she found: Hanging on the [illegible] in the guest chamber, a card reading: "Life is what we make it. So is a bed. Please make this one."

Above the washbowl in the bathroom: "This bowl is not for drinking purposes. You wash in it."

In glaring print over the tub: "This is a tub—to be used with water."

Pinned on the bath gloves: "These are not for street wear."

On a tag tied to the nailbrush: "Beware! This is not a toothbrush."

On a dish towel in the kitchen: "This is not a bath towel. Make no mistake in its use."

Over the washtubs: "This is not a patent bed. Don't try to sleep here."—Boston Transcript.



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Thousands who are troubled with persistent coughing at night, which by robbing them of valuable sleep weakens their systems and lays them open to dangerous infections, can quickly get to prevent this danger through a very simple treatment. People who have hardly been able to rest at all on account of coughing spells have found they can sleep the whole night through undisturbed often the first time they try it.

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The prescription is highly recommended for coughs, chest colds, hoarseness, and bronchitis, and is wonderful for children's coughs and [illegible] as it contains no harmful drugs. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. [illegible] Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs.

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Not For One-Way Traffic

Having in mind a continuation of the Federal aid road policy, there is now before Congress, the Dowell bill, passed by the House and recommended by the Senate committee, which would authorize the appropriation of $75,000,000 for each of the two years of 1926-1927, the money to be spent in conjunction with the several states for the production of better highways. [illegible] 9,000 miles of Federal aid roads were completed at a cost of $371,544,000. The roads under construction will cost approximately $205,000,000 of which the Federal government will pay $[illegible],500,000.

Folks in the small communities fail often to grasp the significance of acts like these; yet they have a real bearing on community development and prosperity. There are two sides to the road question. In small towns while good roads have been welcomed by the average man, in some places local merchants have suffered from their construction. The complaint is that good roads enable the people to shop in the nearest big city. It should be remembered, however, that the road that takes people out of the villages also brings them into the villages. While undoubtedly some traders have suffered from the competitive appeal of the city plus the good road, the answer of course is obvious—better merchandising, and better and more advertising. These must leave the small town; as a fact the small town with its lower labor cost and lower overhead can give the city merchants quite a run for their money. If the merchants adjust themselves to the changed conditions they can draw as much trade from the cities as the cities take from them, if not more.

The world's advance cannot be stemmed, but the world's tradesmen can at least keep step.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

APPRECIATES KRAUSE ARTICLE

Editor St. Cloud Tribune:

The article in your issue of Jan. 30th writing by J. Edw. Krause, entitled "Get out of the gutter, the water wants to run" is so good and so inspiring that I can not refrain from speaking of it. Though this article was written primarily for the good local people, it is so full of inspiration and [illegible] touch [illegible] no reader [illegible] it has the north, an[illegible] miles to anyone [illegible] the soul of he [illegible] who reads it, whoever he may be, wherever he may be.

Mr. Krause surely must be a man of broad vision and kindly heart and one who can get real pleasure out of life by laughing at obstacles, and if the people of St. Cloud would all lift themselves to his plane of friendliness, hopefulness, faith, enthusiasm, good-will and enterprise, your city will soon sparkle among the sister cities of Florida.

Respectfully,
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Feby. 3, 1925 Liberty Center, Ohio

WANTS NEW RAILWAY

Editor, St. Cloud Tribune:

Will you give me a small space in your paper to bring a matter of very great importance to the attention of our citizens and to the citizens of central Florida?

Fifteen years ago, we had in formation a project to bring a railroad into this place and further northwest. Extensive correspondence had been carried on both with owners of railroads and capitalists. The S. A. L. Co. sent officials here to view, and obtain information, and engineers went over several routes (proposed) and matters appeared favorable. But about that time the road and bridge district law was passed, and our attention was diverted to the St. Cloud-Melbourne highway project. The railroad project was dropped for the time, but those of us that had the matter at heart, hoped to see it revived at an early date, when the highway was an assured fact. Then, too, public opinion seemed to be against railroads.

But now people are awakening to the fact that railroads are essential and a cry is going up for them again and an era of railroad building appears to be in sight. Do we catch the sign of the times? Will we wake up?

Just down one of the finest prospects in the country presents itself. Several points are necessary to be kept in view. First, Miami is destined to be the great south eastern port. Second, several large trunk lines are seeking routes to this city through the center of the state. The southeast recognizes this and the present indirect way of reaching the state capital. The route that promises the best results leaves Miami, passes through Dade, Broward, Palm Beach close to the eastern rim of Lake Okeechobee in a direct line north west through the counties of Okeechobee, Osceola to the southern point of Lake Alligator where it would intersect a line from Hopkins through Deer Park St. Cloud, and North Kissimmee through the counties of [illegible] Lake Marion, Alachua, Lafayette, Suwannee, Taylor, Jefferson, Leon and possibly others.

Of course there would have to be some deflections to avoid natural obstructions, but a glance at the map will show its direct route. I propose to call a meeting of the citizens of this place at an early date and if a sufficient interest is manifested to warrant to start the ball rolling. Don't all speak at once.

F. F. H. POPE.

ST. CLOUDLETS

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin A. Martin and son Roy, of Chicago, arrived yesterday for the night with their former Chicago residents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Philpott. They left this morning for points farther south and before returning home, will make an extended stay in this city.

Col. Jim Moore, of Cincinnati, Ohio, who is the last scout of the late General Custer, is expected to arrive in St. Cloud some time in the near future and will locate here. Mr. Moore has been an actor in the Universal Moving Pictures, and is in Tampa at present attending the Fair there.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Brown and little daughter, Doris, of Detroit, Mich., arrived here last Tuesday and are guests of Mrs. M. E. Laurain at 8th and Jersey ave. Mr. Brown is general manager of the T. B. Hayt Hardware Co., of Detroit. We are pleased to have such people in our midst.

Prof. George A. Fellows and wife, of Boston, Mass., arrived in St. Cloud last Monday for a visit with Mrs. Fellow's father, Comrade Charles Bentley, who is occupying with Col. T. B. Crocker, on South Minnesota avenue for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Fellows are pleasantly located with Mrs. McCarthy, on North Minnesota avenue and are making a tour of the country by automobile. Mr. Fellows has a year's vacation from his duties and from Florida he and Mrs. Fellows plan to motor to the Pacific Coast via the National Parks.

NEW ENGLAND SOCIETY [illegible]

The New England Society opened its session Feb. 9th. by singing "America." President McGrath officiated, and Divine Blessing was invoked by Chaplain Mrs. Benedict.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasurer gave a good report which was approved as read. Mr. Massey and Mrs. Benedict were named the committee on resolutions on the passing away of Mr. F. A. Rhoades. Mrs. Stalker was named to have charge of the program next month. Rose for payment of dues.

The committee on [illegible] reported that arrangements [illegible] had been made to hold same at [illegible] Daytona Beach on a Friday [illegible] Mr. Butler resigned [illegible] Chairman of the executive and Alvin Stone was [illegible] to enter his successor. Rev. A. W. Hall, of the Tourist Association, was present and announced that the "Florida Song" would be ready for sale soon and urged all to buy a copy.

The result of the roll call was: Maine 22; New Hampshire, 18; Vermont, 5; Massachusetts, 24; Rhode Island, 15; Connecticut, 21; Visitors, 28; Total 125.

Mr. Massey had charge of the program, as follows:

Piano Solo, Mrs. Marsh.
Reading, Mrs. Phillips.
Song and encore, Mr. H. J. Shore.
Solo, "The End of a Perfect Day," Mrs. Kanaval.
Reading, Mrs. Phillips.
Quartette, H. J. Shore, Mrs. Ewing, Mr. Fowler, Mr. DeNoyer.

Rev. A. W. Hall asked the names of all who were members of the society, who had been wedded 50 years.

The meeting adjourned to meet again the 2nd Monday of March.

A. H. PHELPS PASSES AWAY IN NORTHERN HOME

Word has been received here of the death of Mr. A. H. Phelps, [illegible] on January 29th, of pneumonia, at the age of 79 years. Mr. Phelps was a veteran of the Civil War, having served in the 23rd Iowa Calvary. He was a member of the Methodist church, and leaves a widow and one son to mourn his loss; he and Mrs. Phelps having lived happily together for 56 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Phelps spent six winters in St. Cloud and have a host of friends here who will regret to learn of his passing and who extend sympathy to be bereaved. Mrs. Phelps' sister, Mrs. A. W. Smith, of Fairfield Ia., is spending the winter here, being located on Florida avenue.

ST LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH FEB. 15th.

Septuagesima Sunday, Sixty Days before Easter. Subject: Why do I live?

Text: IICorinthians V. 15.

"And that He Died for all, that they which live should not henceforth live unto themselves, but unto Him which died for them, and rose again."

WM. WESTOVER.

ST. CLOUD FISHERMAN'S PARADISE SAYS RESIDENT

Mr. Samuel Hoar, of Cleveland, O., who came to St. Cloud last fall and purchased property on Illinois avenue between Fourth and Fifth street, is quite a follower of Isaac Walton. East Lake Tohopekaliga at the foot of Illinois avenue, he landed a bass weighing something over ten pounds.

Mr. Hoar has become enthusiastic about fishing in this vicinity and states there is none better to be found in the state.

INTERESTING SPEAKERS AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The powerful address of Dr. E. H. Curtis, Director of Near East Relief was responded to by a liberal offering last Sunday morning netting a total of $2333. 41. Most of this was cash and checks.

Sunday February 22nd a series of special services will begin. The preaching will be done by Dr. I. D. Steele, pastor of the 3rd Presbyterian church of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Thursday February 19th Dr. J. F. Shepherd will be with us. Dr. Shepherd will speak at the evening hour, 7:30 at church. At the [illegible] address refreshments will be served. Some few weeks ago Dr. Shepherd told us of his travels in Palestine. Dr. Shepherd is our Synodical Executive for the Board of National Missions. He will speak to us on the development of the work in Florida and will bring an inspiring message. We hope that all members of the church and friends will be able to hear this message.

DINNER FOR MISS LANDIS AT SHAKER LANDIS LODGE

A delightful seven o'clock dinner party occurred at Shaker Lakes Lodge on Wednesday evening, honoring the birthday anniversary of Miss Rosemary Landis; covers being laid for ten. The dining room of the lodge was beautifully decorated, the spirit of St. Valentine's Day being carried out. Placecards were small red hearts.

After the dinner a social hour was spent in games and conversation in the living room with a roaring fire in the large fireplace which added to the enjoyment of the occasion. Miss Landis was the recipent of several useful gifts, and the best wishes of all for many happy returns of the day.

PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

The Parent-Teacher Association will give a program at the Club House Tuesday evening Feb. 17 at 7:30. Mrs. Anderson, the State President, will be with us, and give a talk.

She will also meet with the Parent-Teachers at the High School building Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

Come, it is free.

Advertise in The Tribune.

GREAT INTEREST IN BIBLE CONFERENCE

Much interest is being manifested in the Bible Conference now being held at the G. A. R. Hall under the auspices of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. The speakers are Rev. Geo. A. Guille, Rev. H. A. Ironside and Rev. J. A. Sutherland and wife. These speakers are all well known being in great demand in Bible Conferences all over the country, they are also the authors of many books on the Scriptures. Meetings will continue until next Tuesday evening with two services every day, 2:30 in the afternoon and 7:30 in the evening also a meeting for children in the Baptist Church every afternoon at four o'clock.

The meetings are interdenominational in character and the subjects considered are very practical as well as interesting and instructive to all all that believe the Bible to be the Word of God.

There is a Book table in connection with the Bible Conference where all who so desire can purchase Bibles and books many of which have been written by some of the speakers. All interested in the study of prophecy and the Lord's Coming and kindred themes are invited to look them over while they are here.

Remember there are only a few days left for this Bible Conference which is the first meeting of its kind in the history of St. Cloud. There is a most cordial invitation extended to the public in general as well as the members of the various churches to enjoy and profit by the opportunities so freely given during [illegible] sermons.

FATHER AND SON MET AFTER TEN YEARS' SEPARATION

Mr. Frank Spaulding of North Dakota arrived in St. Cloud two weeks ago. This is the first time he has met his father, Elder John Spaulding of Missouri Ave., in ten years and the meeting was a happy one between father and son.

Mr. Spaulding is very agreeably impressed with Florida, what he has seen and especially with St. Cloud, as it exceeded his expectations.

He says he likes it so well that he will come back next winter.

WISCONSIN-MINNESOTA ASS'N

The Wisconsin-Minnesota Association will meet in regular session on February 20th at 2:30 o'clock, at the City Park. A fine program has been prepared, and all members and visitors are urged to be present at the meeting.

TOURIST CLUB PICNIC

The Tourist Club will hold a picnic on Monday, February 16th, at the Tourist Club house in the City Park. Coffee, milk, sugar and plates will be furnished gratis. Dinner between 12 and 1:00 o'clock. [illegible] are being made for a royal good time. Everybody invited.

METHODIST-EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Ivor G. Hyndman, D. D., Minister

Geo. [illegible]

Friendly Church."

The order of services for week beginning Sunday, Feb. 15th, is as follows:

[illegible] A. M. Sunday [illegible] in charge of Supt. "Uncle Josh" Ferguson.

10:45 A. M. Morning worship.

3:00 P. M. Junior League in charge of Mrs. Nina Rummell.

6:30 P. M. Epworth League, Leader, Mrs. L. U. Zimmerman. Topic: "America and Class Revolution."

7:30 P. M. Song service and sermon.

Tuesday noon: Public dinner, served at the Chamber of Commerce room.

Tuesday 7:30 p. m. Larmon's Council at the home of Mr. G. C. Outlaw.

Wednesday 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting. 8:00 p. m. Epworth League Business meeting and social.

Friday: 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

OYSTERS

The oyster is the most popular members of the shell fish family. They are extensively produced along the shores of the Gulf, our state having more ground for growing them than any other. A simple oyster is capable of spawning a vast number of eggs. Nobody knows who first it was "that broke the oyster's stony coat, and passed the luscious morsel down the throat." Besides oysters our salt water produce shrimp, clams, crabs, lobsters, turtle, etc.

Palm Theatre

PRESENTS

MARY PICKFORD

in

"SUDS"

Benefit—Daughters of Veterans

Matinee 3:30 P. M.

TUESDAY, FEB. 17TH.

PRICES, 15c & 35c

"This Is My Town"



A pledge of citizenship is an enthusiastic and whole-hearted support in act and thought, of St. Cloud, its ideals, its institutions, its homes, its attractiveness, its advantages, its business and of your neighbors. When any individual or local organization makes an effort for a bigger and better St. Cloud they deserve and have a right to expect the loyal support of every citizen. At that moment they represent St. Cloud and there should be no bickering, no backbiting or factional disagreement which will detract from gaining the objective.

Only in proporion to our combined efforts can we hope to make our town more attractive and more prosperous. No matter the size, every town is too small in number of citizens, to grow when part of its folks take their money and trade to other centers. Our interest in state and national prosperity is not diminished through a strict loyalty to home affairs and town development. On the contrary, when we build an up-and-doing, prosperous and progressive town we add to our state's assets, and, likewise to the nation's.

Let Us Make St. Cloud A Better Town

EDWARDS PHARMACY — LEON D. LAMB
EISELSTEIN BROS. — W. G. KING
HEDRICK BAKERY — C. C. PIKE
McGILL & SCOTT

COMING PERSONAL GOING

St. Cloudlets

LOCAL VISITING SOCIAL

S. W. Porter, real estate, insurance.

The local banks will observe Lincoln Birthday today.

McCALL'S PATTERNS AT WOMAN'S EXCHANGE. 25-tf

Mr. Frank Schwindeu was a business caller at Orlando Friday afternoon.

WANTED—10,000 POUNDS SWEET POTATOES AT BAILEY'S.

Wm. Hettinger left Tuesday for Jacksonville, where he has accepted employment.

L. C. Riddle, Dentist, Conn Building. Appointments made. tf

Mrs. Lou Anderson and a party of friend leave on Friday for Miami and West Palm Beach.

We have an assorted stock of Valentine Cards. Edward's Pharmacy. 25-1t

E. F. Lockwood left today for Jacksonville, where he will spend several days on business.

WANTED

GOOD CLEAN

RAGS

TRIBUNE OFFICE

WANTED—OLD RAGS. Must be Clean. No Strings. Tribune Office.

Tom McClelland, who has been employed at Ft. Lauderdale for some time, returned home last week.

REAL DRIED CHERRIES AT BAILEY'S.

Mr. Newt Edwards, of Lake Wales, Fla., was a caller at the home of his brother, V. Clyde Edwards, last Sunday.

Any one wishing to buy monuments see Eiselstein Brothers. 35-tf

Elmer R. Siegfried left Monday for points in West Florida after a delightful week-end stay with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Philpott.

THE STORE THAT FULFILLS EVERY PROMISE AT BAILEY'S.

Miss Mary C. Roach, of Toronto, Canada, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Pidgeon, at the St. Cloud Hotel, until the latter part of April.

One pound box of choice candy, $1.25 value, for 89c at Edward's Pharmacy this week. 25-1t

Editor C. F. Johnson and family, and Miss Thelma Benner, motored to Melbourne last Sunday afternoon, returning home the same day.

WANTED—OLD RAGS. Must be Clean. No Strings. Tribune Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hillebrand, of Winter Park, Fla., former residents of St. Cloud, have been spending several days here this week.

Valentine Candy Specials at Edward's Pharmacy this week. 25-1t

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Lane, of St. Petersburg, Fla., have been spending a few days at the Shaker Lakes cove.

THE BEAUTY OF NICE RIPE STRAWBERRIES THIS WEEK AT BAILEY'S.

Mr. Will Everett died last Sunday morning at his home on Delaware avenue, aged 64 years. No funeral arrangements have been announced.

Fine picked sweet oranges, 9 cents dozen. Frank Russell, S. 608 Penn Ave. 24-2tp

Mrs. B. J. Rhame, who has been ill for a few days, is reported improving. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Dr. J. D. Chann, Physician and Surgeon. Office over Feeds Grocery. Phones at office and residence. tf.

Mrs. Mary Washer, of Wisconsin avenue, passed away in Detroit, Mich., according to word received here. She was the widow of the late Comrade John Washer.

BEADS AND RAFFIA AT WOMAN'S EXCHANGE. 25-tf

Mrs. Mary E. Laurain, of Jersey avenue, returned to St. Cloud with her mother from Detroit, Mich., last week. Her friends are glad to welcome her back.

A $6.50 box of candy for $3.98 at Edward's Pharmacy this week. 25-1t

Mr. and Mrs. Charon Hague and Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Wheeler motored to Tampa last Saturday, where they attended the South Florida Fair, returning on Sunday.

DRIED FRUIT SPECIAL THIS WEEK AT BAILEY'S.

"Robin Hood," one of the most stupendous pictures ever produced, with Douglas Fairbanks as the leading character, will be shown at the Palm Theatre tonight.

WANTED—OLD RAGS. Must be Clean. No Strings. Tribune Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gratton, of Tampa, will pay a visit to Mrs. J. O. Vreeland, of this city in the near future. They expect while here to visit points on the East Coast.

ANOTHER BIG CHEESE COMING AT BAILEY'S.

Miss Vallseng Grant who has been in St. Cloud the past year, and connected with Bailey's Grocery the past several months, left Wednesday for her former home in New York.

NATURAL BROWN RICE IN PACKAGES AT BAILEY'S.

Mrs. A. Forner and Mrs. Sophie Rhoes and Mr. Frank Schwindeu were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lester at Kissimmee on Sunday. A bountiful dinner was enjoyed by all.

WANTED—OLD RAGS. Must be Clean. No Strings. Tribune Office.

The Senior and Unity Circles of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will serve a dinner at the Chamber of Commerce room at noon next Tuesday. A large attendance is expected.

[illegible] Parish, of Kissimmee, morning. The body was removed to the Eiselstein Brothers funeral parlors in St. Cloud and prepared for shipment to Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tyner and small son, spent Sunday at Melbourne Beach, returning home Sunday night. Mr. Tyner reports the road in fairly good condition, and in all, a very enjoyable trip.

Dressmaking all kinds for women and children; also line men's coat sleeves. Mrs. Herndon, South 308 Massachusetts avenue between 12th and 13th streets. 24-2tp

Dr. and Mrs. B. J. Emery and Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Hall of Defiance, Ohio, were numbered among the recent arrivals in the city, and are pleasantly located at the Cowger home on the lake front.

Dr. M. Cushman-Griswold, Homeopath and Osteopath. Hours from 9 to 11; 2 to 4. Fla. Ave. bet. 10 & 11 (tf)

Mrs. Lue S. Hendrix, who has been quite seriously ill the past week, is reported better by Dr. Cushman-Griswold. Her many friends hope that she will soon be able to be about her many circle duties.

Mrs. Joe Russell and little daughter Helen, of Ohio, arrived here last Monday and is stopping with Mrs. Russell's brother, Wm. Milar. Mrs. Russell is [illegible] pleased with Florida and expects to return next winter.

WANTED—OLD RAGS. Must be Clean. No Strings. Tribune Office.

Miss Margaret McGill, who is spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. Jennie McGill on New York ave., together with her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Shields and daughter, of Canton, Ills., are spending a few weeks at Melbourne.

On last Tuesday night the Young Men and Women's Bible Class of the Christian church, held a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Young, east of the city. Games were played, refreshment served and all enjoyed the evening immensely.

Dr. C. Suckhoff, Chiropractor, Hours 9 to 12 and 2 to 6. Conn Building, 10th St. & Penna. Ave. 24-tf

Mr. J. C. Vreeland and Mrs. [illegible] Hawkins were entertained by Mrs. Wm. Gratton, Westmoreland, Tampa. They report a delightful time which included auto trips to St. Petersburg and all of suburban towns, arriving home Monday evening.

USE TRIBUNE AD WANTS

Mr. J. W. Aker who has been in weeks returned home last Tuesday night and will leave Sunday for St. Augustine where he will supervise the construction of trolley line for the Southern Utility Co.

Dr. Wm. H. Dodds, Physician and Surgeon, office Eleventh and Penna. Ave. Day and Night calls promptly attended. 17-tf

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Blas will return home to Huntington, West Va., next week, where Mr. Blas is city tax collector. They have been spending five months in this section and are thoroughly enthused over their trip to the land of sunshine.

John Bohen, of Malabar, Fla., spent Sunday here with friends. On his return trip he had the misfortune to run his car off one of the small bridges between here and Melbourne. The car was slightly damaged but he fortunately escaped uninjured.

The Ladies Aid Society of the St. Thomas Church met at the home of Mrs. M. E. Laurain and Mrs. Gray last Wednesday afternoon. A social hour was held and luncheon was served to forty guests. It is hoped such occasions will happen often.

Last Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. J. H. DeGraw entertained Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mason, of Oxford, Wis., at dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Mason live near [illegible] son, who is clerk of the circuit court at Friendship, Wis. The day was very happily spent.

If you want to read about Furniture in large quantities see the newspapers. If you want to buy or look at the real article, call on Summers Furniture Store, Eleventh and Pennsylvania. Prices are always right. 24-tf.

Allison H. Shockley and Phillip Hathaway, of Boston, Mass., arrived in St. Cloud last Monday to spend some time with Mr. Shockley's uncle, Mr. L. A. Pool. Mr. Shockley's mother is also spending the winter here and may locate permanently.

Rev. Clause Orelent, of New York City, arrived in St. Cloud last Saturday night for a month's vacation. Rev. Orelent states that he is delighted with St. Cloud's wonderful climate and the friendliness of the people, and may make his future home here.

Last Sunday the fifteenth anniversary of scouting, was observed by Troop No. 1, of St. Cloud. They marched in a body to the Methodist church where they attended the morning service, Dr. Ivor G. Hyndman, the pastor, devoting part of the hour's service to scouting.

The Senior Class of the St. Cloud [illegible] expect to give a play in the near future, but the definite date has not been decided upon. Those who have attended these plays in the past will welcome another opportunity of seeing the excellent work of the student body.

Palm Theatre

Presents

CHARLES

CHAPLIN

in

"WOMAN of PARIS"

FRI. 13—SAT. 14

Prices 10c and 25c.

SEE

STEEN & DAWLEY

Peoples Bank Bldg.

FOR REAL ESTATE

in and around St. Cloud

3 Days Sale

Main Grocery & Market

Fri., FEB. 13 - Sat., FEB. 14 - Mon., FEB. 16

3 Days Sale

Sugar FINE GRANULATED 4 lbs. 29c

Butter CREAMERY JERREY PURE Per lb. 49c

Potatoes EXTRA NICE 9 lbs. 29c

SWEET POTATOES THEY ARE GOOD 5 lbs. 23c

OLEO ROCK SPRINGS 28c HY GRADE 33c VALLEY PARK 35c

Milk BORDEN'S OR VAN CAMP'S 3 Cans 29c

Tomato Soup 3 for 20c VAN CAMP'S

Shredded Wheat 2 for 23c

"Meats"

Western Round Steak	27c lb.
Western T-Bone Steak	29c lb.
Western Sirloin Steak	31c lb.
Western Stew Meat	16c lb.
Western Beef Roasts	23c lb.
Western Pork Chops	32c lb.
Western Pork Roasts	28c lb.
Western Pork Sausage	29c lb.

CURTICE BROS. Sweet Beets DRIED Per Can 17c

AMERICAN Cream Cheese Per pound 37c

VAN CAMP'S Pork & Beans 3 for 29c

SCOTT COUNTY Lye Hominy No. 3 Can 14c

DUCHESS Sugar Corn Try it once and you will buy it always No. 2 Can 23c

Tomatoes PRIDE OF KINSDALE No. 2 Can 14c

Morris' Pure White Leaf LARD 8 lb. Bucket $1.88

SANIJO TOILET TISSUE 6 for 24c

Apples Apples YORK IMPERIAL 3 pounds 25c

P & G SOAP 2 bars for 9c

SOAP POWDER Star Naphtha 6 pkgs. 24c

ACCEPTS ALL ADS HE CAN GET FROM COMPETING TOWN STORES

(From the American Press)

The question of accepting advertising from a competing town was dealt with in a snappy commonsense way by Jim Biggerstaff, publisher of the Record-Democrat of Wagoner, Oklahoma, when he spoke a week or two ago before the Oklahoma Press Association.

"Competing town advertising—shall we accept it" asked Biggerstaff.

"That is a question that has ever been a perplexing one for every small town newspaper man, since I can remember. Your dry goods man and grocery man sell every customer they can, who enters their place of business, and do not think of refusing to sell him because he is from another town. Yet, these same merchants tell you that you must not, for their protection and as a matter of town pride, accept any advertisement except in the town in which you live. As the doctors maintain, it is 'unethical.' Is it? I don't know. I have done so and still live and I believe, prosper. I have tried the proposition in town towns and found the results much the same.

"Most towns receive a sufficient volume of business from their home merchants, without thinking anything about nearby cities. Yet I receive papers from many towns that plainly show that their home town merchants are starving them to death. The fear to accept outside advertising is rushing them to the sheriff's office at a rapid rate.

"This question becomes an exceedingly live one when you are situated as I am in a town 16 miles from a city of 30,000. The daily papers of this city circulate here of course, but cannot fill the field of the home-town newspaper, and there is good train service between the two places.

"Perhaps my situation is unusual, but I do not think so. Especially in the dry goods line the merchants here have been in business for a long term of years, 'set' in their ways; having seen the town grow from a village to a town of 3,000. During the war period they advertised well with me; when the depression set in they got scared and some cut off their advertising entirely, considering it an expense instead of an investment. I talked the question over with them frankly, telling them that for me to live without their business would force me to cut down my paper in size and amount of local news I was giving and issue a paper of which they would be ashamed, as well as myself. I told them that to offset their loss I must do this or else secure more business elsewhere to make up the deficiency. They expressed sorrow, but stated that they must think of themselves.

"In this contingency I went to the nearby city and the larger stores there snapped at the chance. It evidently pays them for I have a clientele that has stayed with me for four years and I have kept my paper up to standard, 8 to 12 pages, all home print and rode the waves of the last few years of financial depression safely.

"What effect did it have on my home town merchants? A few of them kicked and tried to 'discipline' me, but most of them made no complaint; I told the kickers to place their ads beside the others—they had lower rents, lower overhead costs and could even sell lower on many things than the big city fellows. The result is that I carry a good measure of business from both cities and it is not a bone of contention any longer.

"During the past four years I have had seven different competitors on the opposition paper, who have not solicited any business, except in this city. Although they have a lower rate than my paper, they have, as a result, at all times carried less local advertising than I. That seems to me to be a pretty good answer as to whether it pays or not to accept competing town advertising.

"I have, at all times, offered to help all my advertisers, home and foreign, in the preparation of their copy and maintained a cut service for their use. In other words I have endeavored to 'educate' them and my competitor has tried his hand at education as well.

"I make the same rate to home and foreign advertisers; in fact I have only one rate, which I maintain, win, lose or draw.

"In regard to competitors—I have found it a better policy to work in harmony with them and take them by the hand instead of the hair of the head.

"The building of hard surfaced road in this and other states is going to make this advertising question a live one with more and more country newspapers. It is well to bear in mind that the roads run both ways and will benefit the small town as well as the city.

"The small town merchant, if he knows his business, need not fear the big city. There is, I am told, a firm in a small town of about 1,000 in Southern Oklahoma, that does a million dollar yearly business, using printer's ink freely, and drawing patronage from a large trade territory, even from a large nearby city. The time is coming when, owing to the high cost of real estate and cost of operation in the big cities, large department stores will be run in many small cities.

"The question of acceptance of competing town advertising is one which cannot be governed by any hard and fast rule, but must be governed by local conditions and the individual desire of the newspaper man. I do know that the fear to accept it is starving most newspaper men to death. I feel that it has paid me—at least I have a good country newspaper plant that is a curiosity—it is without a mortgage and free of debt."

THRIFTY TIPS FOR THE HOME

Enamel Woodwork: Enamel woodwork can be kept clean very easily in the kitchen by having a damp cloth handy and after dishwashing each day wipe all the small spots around drawers, cupboards and doors. If you have wooden handles, which soil easily, replace them with glass ones.

Electric Bulbs: Before purchasing electric bulbs that are offered at exceptionally low prices, the housewife should ask whether or not they are "refilled," as a new bulb is worth the difference in price, because it will last longer and gives a much better light.

Table: If you have a very small kitchen, with not enough space for a table, a shelf that turns down under a window is most convenient. It may be used for eating breakfast, as well as many other practical needs.

Chuck Roast: Chuck roast makes a very appetizing dish if the bone is removed, the meat rolled and tied with a string and then roasted. It makes a very inexpensive dinner.

Berry Juice: When juice is left over from fresh or canned berries, add gelatin to it in the proportion of one level teaspoonful of gelatin to one pint of liquid. Soak the gelatin in one-quarter cupful of cold juice, and then add one and three-quarters cupfuls of hot juice. Turn into a wet mould, chill, and it will be found excellent as a dessert or salad.

Jars: Jars that are to be filled with boiling fruit should be placed on about five thicknesses of a towel which has been wrung out of tepid water. This will be found much better than heating jars to be filled or placing a silver knife in them.

Salt Sets: There are many ways of bringing color into the scheme of one's table decorations, and one of the most novel effects is obtained by using salt and pepper sets made of Venetian glass in lovely shades of rose, mulberry, green, pink, and red.

Milk: If you have a large quantity of milk which you wish to keep fresh for several days, scald it, pour it into sterilized bottles with sterilized stoppers, cool and keep near the ice. It will keep for several days.

Ironing Board Cover: A very good ironing board cover is made of felt, covered with sheeting and shaped and finished with eyelets and cords to lace it to the ironing board.

RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTIONS of Respect and Condolence, adopted by L. L. Mitchell Post No. 34, Department of Florida of the Grand Army of the Republic, on this sixth day of February, 1925, on the death of Comrade E. E. Scranton.

WHEREAS, in the dispensation of Providence our Comrade E. E. Scranton has been called to the Eternal Camping Ground, and WHEREAS, our deceased comrade, while a member of this Post was a most zealous and efficient member, ever ready to give aid whenever occasion required, and with a cheery smile and word for every comrade; Therefore, be it

RESOLVED, by the comrades of L. L. Mitchell Post in regular meeting assembled, that we feel deeply the loss of our comrade to this Post, and to his home city and home friends and relatives where his long useful and upright life has been greatly appreciated; And be it further

RESOLVED, that the sympathy of this Post is hereby extended to the family and friends of the deceased, both in his northern home and in this city; And be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this preamble and resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Post, a copy forwarded to the widow, and a copy furnished our local paper for publication.

W. B. McPHERSON,
J. B. WERHOFF, Committee.

When the Lord decided to make man, the first thing he gave him dominion over was the fish of the sea. In addition to more than 1,100 miles of sea coast abounding with fish and seafood, Florida has within her borders 2,841,600 acres of water—more acres of inland water than we have acres of land in cultivation. Six hundred of fifty varieties of fish inhabit these waters.





Three hundred thousand units of life-saving diptheria antitoxin reached Nome, Alaska, thanks to this great champion musher, Leonard Sepalla and his dog team of twenty fleet Huskies. Sepalla went head-on into a raging blizzard with the temperature ranging from 20 to 32 below zero. Sepalla had the longest stretch of more than 650 miles. Seven relays handled the precious package in the record time 127½ hours. (Below) Miss Emile Morgan of Wichita, Kansas, the only nurse in Nome. There are only two nurse... in the town of 1,000.

FLORIDA DEVELOPMENT BOARD

"Let's bring the two coasts closer together", is the slogan of Charles H. Roberts, Secretary of the Oldsmar Chamber of Commerce, who has started a movement for a trip of representative business men from all the cities along the West Coast, in a special train at some time in March, through the Scenic Highlands section to the Florida East Coast so the business men can get better acquainted.

A very large majority of the votes cast by members of the Florida Development Board on the referendum submitted to determine their views whether or not the next Legislature should be asked to make an appropriation to advertise Florida, the funds to be expended under the supervision of the Florida Development Board, were for the proposition, only four negative votes being cast. The referendum also was submitted to the commercial organizations, and only three of these voting were opposed.

The referendum relating to securing an enabling act to permit cities and incorporated municipalities to adopt zoning regulations, received a majority of votes cast. Preparation of the two bills will be supervised by the Board of Directors.

A bill has been introduced in the Oregon legislature providing an appropriation of state funds to be expended under the supervision of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce for advertising that state.

CENTRAL ILLINOIS BUYS BULK OF CITRUS FRUIT FROM FLORIDA

According to the Daily Pantagraph, newspaper of Bloomington, Illinois, a big bulk of the Florida citrus production is being shipped to Bloomington and the central Illinois territory. The article reads as follows:

"Bloomington and the central Illinois territory appear to be "sold" on the Florida citrus production. The great bulk of the shipments of oranges and grapefruit consumed here appear to be from the peninsular state to the southeast. This, according to a local commission man, is due to the superior quality, the Florida growers having reached a superlative production and with larger size.

Not only does the Florida orange and grapefruit have the edge on the west coast state, but the latter has been hit hard by frost, while even the shipments in transit during the past few weeks have been caught by the extreme cold weather and damaged.

In fact, it was stated that the grapefruit shipments from California have been almost wholly suspended of late and Florida orchards are now supplying practically all of the citrus product consumed in this territory.

This section of the state appears to have a weakness for oranges and grapefruit, if the heavy consignments annually are any criterion. It was estimated yesterday that about fifty carloads of oranges are distributed here, while about the same quantity of grapefruit helps to supply a breakfast feature for this community. The popularity of grapefruit especially has grown enormously of late years, and this article of diet, formerly but little known, now appears on many breakfast menus.

The Florida crop moves late in the fall, about November, and then continues thru the winter as the trade demands. The consumption is now at its height and the price holds reasonable. A very fine grade of orange can now retail at 50 cents per dozen, while the large sizes of grapefruit sell at 15 to 20 cents. This price does not yield the grower any fortune and, doubtless, they are lucky to secure a cent each as their share. Only tremendous volume can bring the growers profit. It is said that the Florida crop last year was very large and the season a profitable one for all engaged.

While the Florida growers are prospering, those in California are losing fortunes, otherwise, according to report. Despite the smudge fires that have been maintained it is stated that the loss to the growing fruit and that damaged in transit has been very great. The frost king not only damaged the orange groves, but has also nipped the head lettuce and other staples of the west coast. Many of the shipments coming in now show the effects of the cold snap and the scarcity as a result has stiffened the price. A false report that head lettuce contained a germ deleterious to health also had a damaging effect and some states so reduced their consumption that the California growers are said to have lost $10,000 per day by the erroneous information.

Although the losses sustained by California growers reached enormous proportions, perhaps they are below that sustained by the oyster industry, due to the false report concerning infection. Now that it is too late, it has developed that the oysters that caused the trouble in Chicago came from beds near New York infected by the sewage from the eastern metropolis. The ban, however, was placed upon all oysters and the consuming public simply stopped eating them. As a result, the owners of the oyster fisheries are beggared and 25,000 men engaged are out of employment. The loss may be irreparable as the effects may continue for years to come.

Commission men say that even though the scare has subsided, it is more dangerous to eat oysters now than was the case a month or two ago, when it was possible to secure consignments in less than a week after they were removed from the shell. Due to the palsy that has affected the industry, shipments now may be stale, and there is said to be greater danger now than was the case originally when the Baltimore shipments came thru promptly.

This section has always been fond of oysters and many hundred pails came into this market during the winter season. Since the ban was placed, the consumption has dropped to almost nothing. This food condition is one of the most regrettable in the history of the commission business and jobbers all over the country are extending sympathy to the men whose fortunes have disappeared and whose occupation is gone.

Florida is sending us some fine strawberries and the price is below former years for January. A fine article was noted yesterday for 45 cents per quart. A year ago at this time, 75 cents was demanded. It is said that the Florida crop is very great and that shipments by the carload will be coming in shortly.

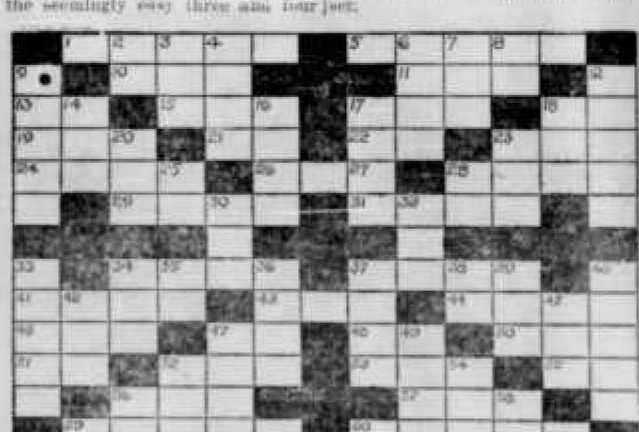
Potatoes and onions are higher due to difficulty in shipments as a result of the extreme weather.

THIS WEEK'S CROSS WORD PUZZLE

By Magdalene Turk

By MARTHA WAGNER

The puzzle this week by Martha Wagner is conventional in design but well worth the effort in working. It might be called the "Four X "puzzle. There are one or two stickers hidden in the seemingly easy three and four letter words but by the well-known system of filling in from all angles they most likely will work themselves out. Why don't you time yourself on this puzzle? Speed in accurate "thinking" is a valuable personal asset.



HORIZONTAL

1. An effeminate boy.
5. The Roentgenays.
10. Light blow.
11. Old age (poetic.)
13. Tool. (Hewing)
15. To fasten.
17. Splash gently.
18. Preposition.
19. Central state. (abbr.)
21. Preposition.
22. Editor (abbr.)
23. I love Latin)
24. Willingly.
26. Behold.
28. Stuff.
29. Narrow woven band.
31. To remove entirely.
34. To cultivate land.
37. Sand.
41. Send out.
43. Fruit bearing part of a cereal.
44. prong.
46. Plump.
47. Note of the musical scale.
48. To be.
50. Negative (Latin)
51. Nine. (Roman)
52. Covering for head.
53. Tool for boring.
55. Southern state (abbr.)
56. Defeat.
57. Shelter.
59. River in Va.
60. Animal in South America.

VERTICAL

2. Pronoun.
3. Weaken.
4. To eject from the mouth.
6. Peruse.
7. Chain of Mts. in Europe.
8. A unit of measure (abbr.)
9. Wading birds.
12. Chemical particles.
14. Forty-one (Roman)
16. Sense of smell.
32. Instrument for propelling a boat.
33. Be worthy of.
34. Adapt for some purpose.
35. Preposition.
36. Assemble.
37. Seize.
38. Pronoun.
39. Soft white metal.
40. Long seat.
42. Boy's name.
45. Number (Latin abbr.)
47. Unusual.
49. U. S. unit of money.
52. Second son of Noah.
54. Beverage.
56. A parent.
58. Printers measure.
18. American Medical Association.
20. To permit.
23. Craft; cunning.
25. Note of musical scale.
28. Company. (abbr.)
30. Equality as to value.
17. An evil glance.



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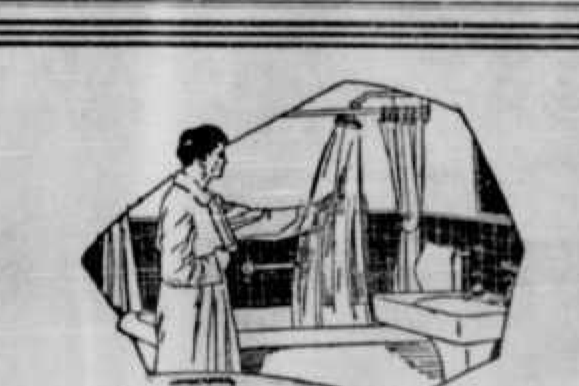
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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Application for Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that A. L. Barlow, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 807, dated the 2nd day of June A. D. 1919, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 24, Block 82 St. Cloud, the said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of M. C. Cunningham. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola Co., Florida.
Jan. 15-Feb. 12—J. L. O.

Notice of Application For Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that William M. Skuse, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 1184 dated the 3rd day of June A. D. 1918, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 13, Block 177 St. Cloud, the said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of A. Johnson. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 28th day of February A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola Co., Florida.
Jan. 29-Feb. 26

Notice of Application for Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that Archie Wigginton, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 1175, dated the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1918 has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 11 and 12, Block 173 St. Cloud, the said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of S. H. Davis. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 21st day of February A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola Co., Florida
Jan. 22-Feb. 19—A. B. W.

NOTICE FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

In the Court of County Judge, State of Florida.

In the Estate of Joseph E. Exley, Osceola County.

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 6th day of March A. D., 1925, Hattie P. Reed shall apply to the Honorable J. W. Oliver, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for her final discharge as Executor of the estate of Joseph E. Exley, deceased, and that at the same time she will present her final accounts as Executor of said estate and ask for their approval.

Dated January 21, A. D. 1925.

HATTIE P. REED, Executor.
By J. M. Parker, Special Agent.
Jan 22-March 12.

Notice of Application For Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that J. C. Turner, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 610 dated the 6th day of July A. D. 1921, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 3, Block 110 St. Cloud, the said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of Seminole Land & Investment Company. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola Co., Florida.
Jan. 29-Feb. 26

Notice of Application For Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that J. J. Will and Mary A. Will, purchasers of Tax Certificate No. 861 dated the 7th day of July A. D. 1919, have filed said certificate in my office, and have made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 99, St. Cloud, the said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of G. R. Caldwell. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 28th day of February A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola Co., Florida.
Jan. 29-Feb. 26

Notice of Application for Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that Edgar R. Sowden, Jr., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 1132, dated the 3rd day of June A. D. 1918; and of Tax Certificates Nos. 630 and 632, dated the 2nd day of June A. D. 1919; and of Tax Certificates Nos. 828 and 861, dated the 7th day of June A. D. 1920; and Tax Certificates Nos. 609, dated the 6th day of June A. D. 1921; and of Tax Certificates Nos. 809, 810 and 940, dated the 5th day of June A. D. 1922, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for Tax Deeds to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situate in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit:—

No. 1132 of 1918. Lots 3 and 4, Block 148. A. Lambert.

No. 630 of 1919. Lots 12, 13 and 14, Block 147. C. Lyons.

No. 632 of 1919. Lots 13 and 14, Block 149. J. K. Prosser.

No. 828 of 1920. Lot 13, Block 152. W. Campbell.

No. 861 of 1920. Lot 21 Block 170. St. Cloud Development Co.

No. 609 of 1921. Lots 6 to 10 Inc. Block 130. I. L. Waring.

No. 809 of 1922. Lot 5, Block 146. M. E. Hallet.

No. 810 of 1922. Lot 7 Block 146. M. L. Dunlap.

No. 940 of 1922. Lot 44. St. Cloud Boulevard. D. L. Rice.

All of above lots and blocks being in the Town of St. Cloud.

The said lands being assessed at the dates of the issuance of said certificates in the names of the parties set opposite to same.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 10th day of March A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.
By S. H. Bullock, D. C.
Circuit Court Seal.
Feb. 12-Mar. 12—E. O. S.

In Circuit Court for the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida in and for Osceola County. In re: Ada Bennett Hagerton. Petition for free dealer. To all whom it may concern. You are hereby given notice that the undersigned will on the 23rd day of February A. D. 1925, apply to the Honorable C. O. Andrews, as Judge of the above Court, for a license to take charge of and manage her own estate and property, and become a free dealer. This the 21st day of January A. D. 1925.

ADA BENNETT HAGERTON.
Jan. 22-Feb. 19—J. & G.)

A PEEP BEHIND THE SCENES AT FASHIONS WHICH WILL BE POPLULAR FOR SPRING WEAR

American Designers Use American Fabrics in Notable Display

By EMMA FLO WILSON

New York, Feb. 11—Even if one had not contemplated the immediate selection and purchase of new Spring clothes, the clever woman will keep abreast with the fashions now being presented for Spring and Summer wear. Many women devote February and March to choosing and making their Spring and Summer clothes, and because of the advanced fashion shows for the benefit of those who go to winter resorts, it is not at all difficult to make costumes now that will be exactly right when the time comes to wear them.

What the well dressed American woman will wear this Spring and Summer was authoritatively decreed at the American Fabric and Fashion Show held recently in New York. The purpose of this exhibit was primarily to show the superiority of American-made materials and fashions. That the new Spring styles will leave nothing to be desired—in color, fabric and design—was proven very conclusively.

All the newest fashion developments were presented in a manner which leaves no doubt that American-made materials and fashions are unsurpassed. There were 150 models present—a mode for every style—from the youthful miss to the more matured matron.

Ensemble Costumes Instead of Gown

The noticeable absence of afternoon frocks would lead one to assume that the ensemble costume,—which consists of coats which may be worn separately or with matching frock underneath, is fast taking the place of the elaborate afternoon gown. Most of the coats are slightly flared.

One interesting feature in all models shown was the numerous ... panels. One was never quite sure when or where one of the floating lengths would appear next. Sometimes they are suspended from the headdress—either at the front or back—and at other times they appear at the hip line. However, they are shown as an addition to the straight lines, and do not in any way tend to obliterate the simple boyish lines of last year. New and feminine touches greatly enhance the charm of simple, boyish models.

To be really smart, the sport costume, which is absolutely indispensable to the well-dressed woman's wardrobe, must be of utmost simplicity of line and of impeccable cut and finish. One of the most detectable differences between the sport costume of last Spring and this is the absence of the brightly colored sweater of last Spring. Instead, gay little blouses or jumpers which fit snugly—frequently with a high collar—are being shown.

Worsted and Cashmere Rule—Sport Model

The number of sport models presented in the lightweight worsted and soft cashmere materials, both dresses and coats, would indicate that they will lead the mode in sport materials. The most distinguished characteristic of the sport models shown was the excellent quality and the fine texture of the materials used—all American made.

There are new color treatments—not found in last Spring's costumes. The colors are soft and harmonious, however, and may be worn without fear by those women who must choose their hues with care.

The Ensemble Costume was presented in several very interesting models. One model shown is developed of white Joseena. The dress is made of yellow faille and is trimmed with an applique design of the white Joseena. The coat is trimmed with fox at the bottom and at the cuffs which greatly heightens the advantage the effect of lightness and gaiety. Suspended from the shoulders quite unexpectedly are panels of the yellow faille.

Another Ensemble Costume is designed of Moonstone Scrapheen Ottoman. The bottom of the coat is banded with two-tone platinum fox. The frock is of henna and grey Frostkrepe. It is lavishly embroidered with contrasting colors. The belt, tied at the front, is a decidedly new treatment.

One of the coats, designed particularly for those who delight in rather bizarre models, is developed of White Jewelton. It is trimmed at the bottom with a very wide band of Black Monkey fur. It is a strikingly individual model, and Paris could do no better.

The Street Coat Will Be Popular

The street coat which will prove most popular from a standpoint of practicality is developed of Moonstone Joseena. It is a wrappy, elegant model, with a fur collar of Fox. The one large pocket is beautifully embroidered in gayly colored wool.

For the miss who is looking for something very different from the usual straight-line boyish frock, there is a street frock of Commander Blue. It has a simulated Eton jacket over a waist-coat of white pique. Two rows of tiny gold buttons down the front of the white pique waist-coat gives it a novel touch. The scalloped edges of the jacket and the skirt are bound with silk braid.

A street frock—very practical for the business for the College girl—is developed of ... and trimmed down the front is faced with a contrasting shade. The buttons down the front give it an added air of tailored simplicity and charm. It has a new "kick pleat" at the side.

American Styles Here to Stay

Another street frock—more elaborate than the others is designed of Amber Hello Charmeen. It has an inset vest and cuffs of Frostkrepe in paler shade. The cuffs are shirred to fit snugly around the wrist. At first glance, it has the appearance of a ensemble costume. It is, however, merely a new version of the tunic which was so popular all winter. The lightly circular effect from the hips down is shown to best advantage when worn by the taller woman.

The range of colors and the beautiful designs displayed prove in a manner most convincing that American Style Creators and American Fabric Manufacturers are on a par with those found anywhere, and that the French influence of American trade has been unwarranted. The ... the first of its kind—was sponsored by the National Garment Retailers' Association, and by exhibiting firmly establishes a distinctive American school of design in textile fabrics and in dress modes.

Notice of Application for Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that William Landies, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 982, dated the 7th day of June A. D. 1920 and Tax Certificate No. 706 dated the 6th day of June, A. D. 1921, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 1, Block 251 St. Cloud, embraced in Tax Certificate No. 982; Lots 21 and 22 in Block 178 St. Cloud, embraced in Tax Certificate No. 706, the said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificates in the name of Unknown, A. W. Merrill. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Fla.
Jan. 8-Feb. 5—Wm. Landies

Notice of Application for Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that Geo. M. Pell, purchaser of St. Cloud City Tax Certificate No. 296, dated the 5th day of June A. D. 1922, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 3, Block 114, St. Cloud, the said land being assessed at the date of issuance of said certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 28th day of February A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola Co., Florida.
Jan. 29-Feb. 26

Notice of Application for Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that Earle Akey, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 1016 dated the 2nd day of July A. D. 1917 and Certificate No. 732 dated the 6th day of June A. D. 1921, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deeds to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit:

Lot 23 Block 227 St. Cloud in Certificate No. 1016, and Lot 24 Block 227 St. Cloud in Certificate No. 732.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificates in the name of R. O. Cook and J. McCrorey. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.
Feb. 12-March12

LIVESTOCK REPORT

The outstanding feature of the livestock situation in both Florida and the United States is the decreased number of animals on the farms and ranges. This is particularly true of hogs, for which the number has decreased twelve million, or about eighteen per cent. In the United States during the past year, and sixty three thousand or about ten per cent in Florida. Numbers of cattle in the United States are off five per cent; horses about three per cent; and mules show a slight drop in number. The only classes of animals which have increased in number are milk cows, where a two per cent gain has taken place, and sheep with about the same increase. Florida shows practically the same situation except that milk cows, alone, have increased in number.

Values on the Decrease

Along with the decrease in numbers, values per head are also lower than for a year ago and the aggregate value of farm livestock in Florida is $28,364,000 in comparison with $30,067,000 a year ago; $33,233,000 in 1923; $42,580,000 in 1921; and $52,033,000 in 1920. For the United States the January 1 value is placed at $4,814,512,000 in comparison with $4,998,587,000 last year; $5,180,725,000 in 1923; $6,051,207,000 in 1921; and $8,165,104,000 in 1920. Two classes of farm livestock, sheep and hogs, show an increased value per head and, of these, sheep have the distinction of being the only farm animals in the United States which are increasing in both number and value per head.

Causes at Work

The situation, from a State as well as National standpoint, is full of possibilities. Farmers are selling off their stock because of conditions which make the reductions in numbers necessary; the poor corn crop, which reduces the number of hogs and cattle that can be fattened; drought in the Range States, particularly west of the Rocky Mountains, causing a general reduction in livestock in that section; low prices for beef cattle as compared either with dairy products or with mutton and wool; and continued low prices for horses and mules, which has caused a further reduction in the number of colts being raised. Along with the reduction in numbers (probably because of it to a great extent) the value per head of stock has ... Owners of stock are cashing in at dropping prices because they must reduce their holdings to meet unfavorable conditions.

A reversal of this process must follow sooner or later and it has already happened with sheep, where numbers are on the increase to meet the actual demand at attractive prices.

Hogs promise to be next with values sharply advanced in the face of a heavy cut in numbers on the farms. ... cattle and other stock will react in the course of time and about the only farm animal in, what seems to be, a permanently unfavorable situation is "old dobbin". The automobile, tractor and truck are taking his job away from him and a continued decrease in number of horses seems likely.

American Styles for Spring



This very unusual street frock of Commander Blue Scrapheen has a simulated Eton jacket. It is worn over a waist-coat of white pique

The coat of this Costume Ensemble is fashioned of White Joseena, and is trimmed with bands of white fox at the cuffs and at the bottom. The frock is of yellow faille and is trimmed with White Joseena in an applique design.

Developed of White Jewelton, its only trimming a wide band of black monkey fur, the whole charm of this day coat lies in its elegant simplicity. All of these models are by American designers and made from American materials.

SPANISH SWINDLE DEFINED BY ROSS

Because of the large number of letters bearing the marks of the famous "Spanish Swindle" handled by the ... department each day, the following definition of the swindle has been given by Postmaster Herbert E. Ross:

"The scheme consists of sending ... to certain persons, who have previously been selected by confederates. The foundation of the plot varies somewhat. In some instances the writer represents himself as a dying prisoner in a military fortress. He has a fortune on deposit in the United States, but the securities or stock are concealed in a secret receptacle in his valise, which has been seized by the Spanish Court, and will be held until the prisoner, or his representative, has satisfied the cost of the trial. He claims distant relationship with the addressee.

"If the first letter bears fruit, it is quickly followed by others in which the prisoner's daughter plays a prominent part. She is in Spain without a protector. A proposal is made to send her, accompanied by a priest, to the newly found relative for protection, if enough money is sent to release the valise containing the secret receptacle and the certificate of deposit. If the relative will accept the trust he is to receive one-fourth of the prisoner's entire fortune of about 120,000 pounds. Of course, the "relative" never hears from the swindlers after he has sent the money requested.

"Under the Spanish laws a felony must be consumed before the police may act, and a mere attempt to obtain money by false pretenses does not appear to warrant arrest. The money must be actually paid over, and he prosecuting witness must be in person to testify; otherwise prosecution would be useless.

"The swindle was abandoned during the war, but has recently been revived; most of the letters so far observed bear the postmark of Madrid and Barcelona. And postmasters should watch for letters addressed to their patrons mailed at that place."

The Spanish Consul Emilio Carles resided at 204 East Forsyth street has asked that all letters in regard to the swindle be turned over to him.—Jacksonville Journal.

STATE CENSUS BEGINS FEB. 15

Prison Farm Report Shows It Is Not Self-Supporting Yet

State Capitol Building, Tallahassee. —The agricultural department has completed plans for a state census to be taken, beginning Feb. 15, it was announced today. A supervisor has been employed for each county and these supervisors will employ enumerators to take the agricultural census, which, after completed, will be collected and place in phamplet form for distribution.

The eighteenth biennial report of the ... department, department of agriculture, covering every phase of prison activities for the past two years, will be ready soon for distribution, according to an announcement by Nathan Mayo, Commissioner of Agriculture.

Included in the biennial report will be a full report from J. J. Blitch, superintendent of the state prison farm at Raiford. Mr. Mayo shows that Florida spent on the average of 20.84 cents daily on the upkeep of prisoners at the farm over and above the food and other products produced on the farm.

Mr. Blitch's report therefore shows that the prison that the prison farm is not yet on a self-supporting basis. During the year ending Jan. 25, last, an average of 443 prisoners were housed on the farm. Thirty-three escaped during that year and twenty were recaptured.

Cash receipts from various industries on the farm during 1924 were given as follows: from poultry and eggs, $8,440.98; vegetables, meats, and so forth, $14,050.44; from the dairy, $7,917.50; ice and cold storage, $2,196.04; other sundries, $4,580.45; total, $37,194.30.

The Pants That Queered Him

A tramp who had been on the road for years applied for work in a village, secured a job, and kept it. One day the local constable asked him why he had quit the road.

"The styles druv me to it," was his answer. "A feller gave me a pair of them bell-bottomed pants. I never got another hand-out. I couldn't look pathetic any more."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

ICE!

The progress of civilization continually adds to the conveniences and labor-saving devices of the home. Not so many years ago when our parents and grandparents wanted to keep their milk, butter, and other foods fresh and sweet it was necessary to store them in damp, musty caves or well houses.

Now, with the aid of artifical ice, you may keep food fresh and sweet in clean, sanitary, convenient refrigerators. It is so economical, too. Left-over dishes remain fresh and wholesome for an indefinite time when kept in the ice-box.

Phone or call now, so that we may include you on our delivery route.

WE ARE HERE TO SERVE YOU

St. Cloud Ice Co.

D. E. ARMSTRONG, Manager.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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LARGE CLEAN NEWLY DECORATED ROOMS. RATES $1.00, $1.50 AND $2.00 PER DAY. WEEKLY RATES $6.00 AND UP. STOP WITH US AND FEEL AT HOME.

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St. Cloud Lodge No. 221 F. & A. M.
Meets second and fourth Friday evening each month.
UPPER G. A. R. HALL
A. W. PORTER, Worshipful Master
L. U. ZIMMERMAN, Secretary
Visiting Brothers Welcome

I. O. O. F.
St. Cloud Lodge No. 66, I. O. O. F. meets every Tuesday evening in Odd Fellows Hall in New York avenue. All visiting brothers welcome.
CHARLES R. REILLY, N. G.
FREDERIC STEVENS, Sec'y.

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAHS
PEARL E. PERRY, N. G.
MRS. JULIA FRENCH, Secretary.
St. Cloud Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah meet every second and fourth Monday in the Odd Fellows Hall. Visitors Welcome.

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St. Cloud Chapter No. 46
Meets in G. A. R. Hall First and third Thursday Evenings. Visitors Invited.
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Mrs. Lucy M. Blackmun, Secretary

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General Household Fixtures for the Bath Room
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Near 10th and Florida Ave

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Hardware, Farming Implements, Paints, Oils, and Varnishes.

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See or Write
W. H. MILLSOM
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First Class Dressmaking Done Promptly
MRS. N. N. CHASE
at the Conn Store
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THE RIGHT CUT

That's what makes the Barth market popular. We know how to cut every kind of fresh meat so that it is pleasing to the customer, and our cuts of meat are delicious to serve. Come to and get the best that the market affords.

BARTH'S MARKET
Back of Postoffice, St. Cloud, Fla.

HATTON TILLIS
Dailies, Magazines, Cigars, Tobacco, Post-Cards, Fruit, Etc.
Second Door South of Post-Office
24-tf

A BIRTHDAY GREETING

On Feb. 8th about 18 old neighbors and friends called on Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King on South Minnesota ave., as a surprise to let them know they were not forgotten and to remind Mr. King of his 87th and Mrs. King, her 83rd birthdays by bringing floral offerings, most of them roses, and some very useful gifts. Mrs. King received a beautiful gold pen.

Next came ice cream and cake of the most delicious flavor and kind which every one enjoyed and surely all agreed of having the pleasantest and happiest of a time with speaking and singing and jokes. Rev. John Spaulding and son from North Dakota were present and all know Mr. Spaulding's jokes are right in place as well as mirthful.

Poem by Uncle John



We love to harbor ideas if they're easy to defend—when we set to makin' figgers on the value of a friend,—but, the sum of any harvest holds the element of doubt, till you reap yer crop of theories and, later, thresh 'em out.

Facts is—we find that friendship comes in several different grades, when we meet the mixed varieties that's common to the trades; If you try to curb expenses when yer love is runnin' short,—well, there's nothin' cheaper'n friendship—when you price the flimsy sort.

But, the everlastin' artickle that's needed in our arts, is the only kind of friendship that's a balm fer human hearts, — in fact, the stuff is priceless—in results that correspond, from Devotion's faithful cellar, where we bottle it—in bond.



Dumb Dan Goes Shopping

Customer: (entering) "Is this a second hand store?"

Proprietor: "Yes Sir."

Customer: "Put one on my watch."

Notice of Application for Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that T. L. Stanley, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 304 dated the 2nd day of June A. D. 1919 has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described lands, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 19 and 20 Block 51, St. Cloud, the said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of S. W. Conrad. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida. (Circuit Court Seal)
By S. H. Bullock, D. C.
Feb. 12-Mar. 12.

the Judge's Josh



That's It

Loudenlice: "Good old Blinks. Quite a methodical gent. Why would you believe it, he keeps a diary of every little thing said around home. What his wife said; what he said, etc., etc."

Practical: "Some scrap book. I'd say."

A Collection Letter

Mr. Deadbeat:

Dear Sir:

Who bought a riding plow of us last fall? You. Who said they would pay for it when the crops were sold? You. Now, what we want to know who is a dirty no-account, good-for-nothing bum? Yours truly, Samuel Maguire.

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance Fixing the Rate of Interest and the Date of Maturity of Improvement Certificates to be Issued in Pursuance of Resolution Adopted February 5th, A. D. 1925.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST. CLOUD, FLORIDA.

Section 1. The Clerk of the City of St. Cloud, Florida, is hereby authorized to issue Improvement Certificates in accordance with the terms of the resolution adopted by the City Commission on February 9th, 1925, covering the paving of Massachusetts Avenue from Tenth street to Twelfth street; Twelfth street from New York Avenue to Massachusetts Avenue and Tenth street from Florida Avenue to Virginia Avenue against all of such property described in said resolution on which the cost of said paving has not been made.

Section 2. The rate of interest to be charged on said Certificates shall be eight per cent per annum, said interest to be computed from February 9th, 1925.

Section 3. The term for which said Certificates shall be Five years.

Section 4. Any of the said Certificates may be redeemed on or before maturity thereof provided at least three years interest on same is paid at the time of such redemption.

Section 5. The interest on all said Certificates issued shall be payable annually.

Section 6. The Certificates issued under the provisions of Section 63 of the Charter of said City, and the Resolution of said Commission on February 9th, 1925 and this Ordinance, shall be payable in equal annual installments.

Read the first time and upon unanimous consent of the Commission, read the second and third times and passed this the 9th day of February A. D. 1925.

Attest: John B. Collins, City Clerk
Approved by G. C. Outlaw, Mayor,
this 9th day of February, 1925.
(Seal).

This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

HOW RICH IS AMERICA?
100 LITTLE PIGS.
ALSO VASSAR GIRLS.
WORK AND LIVE.

How much do you think the United States is worth, all together, in thousands of millions of dollars?

According to the Census Bureau, all the property in the United States three years ago amounted to about $320,503,802,000. That means 320 times one thousand million dollars, with 803 millions to spare.

It's a great deal of money, but you may be sure that it's much less than the United States is worth. Properly developed, the State of Texas will be worth more than the total "wealth of the United States" as now estimated.

Nobody has the faintest idea what the real wealth of this country amounts to. In ten years the total wealth according to the figures above, has increased more than seventy-two per cent. Give this nation fifty million more inhabitants, intelligent, willing to work, and they would raise the value of the nation's property five hundred per cent in half a generation.

A boy sends this information to the United States Agricultural Department. Five years ago, when he was in the public school, he bought a pure-bred pig, female, eight weeks old. Since then his pig has added 100 small pigs to the earth's porcine population. The little boy writes: "The pig paid for my clothes, three years in high school and gave me spending money also. I am now in my second year in college and she is still doing the same."

This boy has joined the "better dog—better stock" campaign, and will work hard to improve the pig breed.

If it were possible to improve human breed as easily as we improve cattle or swine, civilization would progress rapidly. Unfortunately, eugenists make little progress, but something ought to be done.

That proud mother of 100 little pigs in five years never smoked cigarettes or drank cocktails. And the father or fathers did not set before their sons the example of hooting law breaking and contempt for the Constitution.

Dear young ladies of Vassar College, with beautiful, tall feeding heads, nimble feet and nimble minds, tell what they think of tobacco. 433 say they like cigarettes, 324 never smoke.

No matter what you may think of women smoking, how would you answer this question?

Which will be married first, the 433 girls that smoke cigarettes, or the 324 that don't smoke cigarettes? And which will make the best mothers?

Men have spent most of their time on earth fighting and murdering each other. But the real job of the human race is to fight against and conquer Nature.

Every canal dug, desert irrigated, swamp drained, is a victory in the really important war.

Canada is growing rapidly. Up there they welcome good immigrants. Here we discourage immigration.

What is more important even than immigration is human happiness and independence. Canadians attend to that. In Canada 92 per cent of farmers own their own farms. In the United States, only 42 per cent own their land, the others are tenants paying rent.

The nations in which those that cultivate the land own the land on which they live grow in strength. The power of France is due largely to the fact that Frenchmen own their land. That small country has more than six million land owners, a great improvement on the days of monarchy, when a handful of nobles, ecclesiastics and royal princes were the land owners.

Lorenz Koenig, aged seventy-two, devotes his working hours to stacking shingles in a lumber yard at Omaha. He inherits $115,000, but goes on packing shingles. "If I quit, I'd die," he says, and he'll give the money to his children. Perhaps the habit of hard work hasn't got as firm a hold on them as it has on him.

Our life depends on the glands. Our happiness depends on habit. We are more like machines wound up and set running than creatures of free will.

One of the most fallacious theories advanced to mislead labor is the oft-quoted statement that "wealth is the accumulated product of labor." The simple fact is that the wealth of the world has been created by intelligence. Labor by itself barely preserved life. All that means human progress, the wealth, the welfare, and the happiness of man has come more from the brain of man than from his hand. Each is entitled to reward in proportion as it serves.—Charles H. Sabin.

Notice of Application for Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that Archie Wigginton, purchaser of St. Cloud City Tax Certificate No. 629, dated the 2nd day of June A. D. 1919, also certificate No. 650 dated the 2nd of June A. D. 1919, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 10, 11, 12 and 13 of Block 140 Cit of St. Cloud in Certificate 629 and Lot 1 of Block 178 Cit of St. Cloud City of St. Cloud in Certificate No. 650.

The said land being assessed at the date of issuance of said certificates in the name of E. Emerson and A. Beasley. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deeds will issue thereon on the 21st day of March A. D. 1925.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida. Seal
March 21, 1925.—A. B. W.

NOTICE FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

In the Court of County Judge, State of Florida.

In the Estate of James Cavanagh, deceased; W. G. King, Administrator, Osceola County.

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 10th day of May A. D. 1925 I shall apply to the Honorable J. W. Oliver, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for a final discharge as Administrator of the estate of James Cavanagh, deceased, and that at the safe time I will present my final accounts as Administrator of said estate and ask for their approval.

Dated February 11 A. D. 1925.

W. G. King, Admr.

Feb. 12-April 2.

A RESOLUTION

Whereas the City of St. Cloud, Florida, has constructed brick paving on Massachusetts Avenue from Tenth Street to Twelfth Street; also on Twelfth Street from Massachusetts avenue to New York avenue and on Tenth Street from Florida Avenue to Virginia Avenue, and

Whereas under authority of law it is the intention of the City Commission of said city to provide for the payment of the costs of said paving by the owners of lands abutting or fronting on said streets and avenues, and

Whereas the Engineer of said city having estimated the total cost of said paving as TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FOURTEEN AND 16/100 DOLLARS, and

Whereas the Engineer of said city having apportioned the cost of said paving upon the private properties so abutting and fronting the streets and avenues paved, and reported the same to the City Commission, now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THAT THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST. CLOUD, FLORIDA.

Section 1. That the total cost of paving with brick including concrete curbing, excluding alleys and street intersections, upon the following lots is hereby assessed against the said lots and in the amounts hereinafter stated.

LOTS	BLOCK	AMOUNT
1, 2, 3	160	$315.75
4, 5, 6, 7, 8	160	526.25
9, 10	160	210.50
11 --	160	105.25
12 --	160	105.25
13 --	161	105.25
14 --	161	105.25
15 & S. 5 feet of 16	161	126.30
N. 20 feet of 16	161	84.20
17, 18	161	210.50
19 -- --	161	105.25
20 -- --	161	105.25
21 --	161	105.25
22 --	161	105.25
23, 24	161	210.50
13, 14, 15	188	315.75
16 --	188	105.25
17	188	105.25
18, 19	188	210.50
20 --	188	105.25
21, 22	188	210.50
23, 24	188	210.50
1, 2, 3	189	315.75
4, 5, 6	189	315.75
7, 8	189	210.50
9, 10, 11, 12	189	421.00
12 --	188	511.00
13 --	188	511.00
1 --	219	511.00
24 --	219	511.00
24 --	164	456.40
1 --	164	498.40
6, 7	127	732.62
7 --	126	498.40
8 --	126	498.40
1 --	165	498.40
24 --	165	498.40
Lamb, Sub-division of block 125:		
2 --		178.00
3 -- --		178.00
4 --		156.64
5 --		156.40
6 --		178.00
7 --		178.00
8 -- --	124	534.00
9 --	124	534.00
1 -- --	166	498.40
24 --	166	498.40
7 --	123	518.19
8 --	123	534.00
1 --	167	512.64
24 --	167	512.64
1, 24	168	1068.00

Section 2. The City of St. Cloud, Florida, hereby claims a lien upon the lots mentioned in Section 1 hereof for the amounts therein stated with interest at 8 per cent per annum from this date.

Section 3. The City of St. Cloud, Florida, hereby gives notice of its intention to issue Improvement Certificates Feb. 16th A. D. 1925 against all such property herein described for the amounts herein stated, with interest at eight (8) per cent per annum from date until paid, except such as have been paid before the issuance of said Certificates.

ADOPTED MONDAY, FEBRUARY NINTH, A. D. 1925.

G. C. OUTLAW, Mayor.
Attest: JOHN B. COLLINS, City Clerk
SEAL. 25-1

Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Colt Carbide lighting plant. Reasonable. Inquire Bailey's Grocery. 5-tf.

FOR SALE—First Class Jersey Cow. Enquire C. A. Bailey Grocery. 24-tf

FOR SALE—A Phonograph and 19 good records. Cheap if taken at once. 417 N. Ohio Ave. 24-2tp

FOR SALE—A large lot 50x140. Missouri avenue and Eleventh St. Box 639. 51-tf.

FOR SALE—Lake front lots. The property that will increase in value. S. W. PORTER. 124f

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red Eggs $1.25 per setting, 15 eggs. Fresh Unfertile Eggs at market price. D. Peck, cor 12th St. and Mississippi ave. 23-5tp

FOR SALE—Cheap, A new bungalow on corner of 9th and Dakota with modern conveniences. 20-tf

THE OLD CITY GARDEN for sale. 2 Blocks from postoffice, Penn. av. between 12th and 13th streets. 22-4tp

FOR SALE—Good riding and working Pony. Model Dairy. 24-tf

CHEVROLET SEDAN 1923 Model for sale or trade, Methodist Parsonage, St. Cloud, Florida. 22-tf

A BARGAIN—4 Lots and seven-room house for sale. Corner 8th and Carolina. Enquire [illegible] A. Newling across street. 25-2tp

FOR SALE—Or trade property near West Palm Beach for St. Cloud property. Also have car to trade on good St. Cloud property. Steen & Dawley, Peoples Bank Bldg. 24—

FOR SALE—Fine nine-room home, all modern conveniences. Apartment for rent up-stairs. Black walnut furniture, fine rugs. Three lots, 7 kinds of fruit. Corner Twelfth and Minnesota. Enquire at residence, James Campbell. 25-4tp

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red Eggs $1.25 per setting. Mrs. S. M. Worthing, Ohio ave. and 16th street. 24-3tp

BUY OF OWNER and save commission. Five-room cottage, lots of fruit and flowers. Immediate possession. 511 N. Pennsylvania avenue 25-2tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE for Touring Car or small place. A good used truck. Homer Byrnes, St. Cloud, Fla. Box 728. 25-4tp

FOR SALE—Show Case, Stamp Machine, Refrigerator, in good condition. Bargain. Inquire Hatton Tillis News Stand. 25-con

FOR SALE OR TRADE— A late model auto. F. F. H. Pope, Virginia and Eighth. 25-2tp

BIG BARGAIN—New House furnished, 4 lots, plastered, electric lights, City water, fireplace, fine location on New York avenue. See owner, D. Turner, 115 Carolina Ave. 25-2tp

FOR SALE—$500.00 worth of I. O. O. F. Mortgage Notes, paying 6% interest. In denomination of $25.00 and $100.00. Will sell all or part. Box 884, St. Cloud. 25-1t

AUTO SERVICE

PHONE 32 For Auto Service (Closed Car) any time, anywhere, A. G. Demmon, St. Cloud. tf.

CAR FOR HIRE. Phone 64. C. C. Hammel. 22-tf

Notice of Application for Tax Deed

Notice is hereby given, that C. H. Buttery, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 568, dated the 2nd day of June A. D. 1919 and Tax Certificate No. 703, dated the 7th day of June A. D. 1920, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 1 and 2, Block 25 St. Cloud, in Certificate No. 568 and Lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, Block 24 St. Cloud, in Certificate No. 703, the said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificates in the name of M. Campbell and Unknown. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deeds will issue thereon on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1925. J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola Co., Fla. Feb. 5—March 5—C. H. B.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—8-room house, furnished, screened porch, electric lights. O. Holliday's. 19-tf

OLD COLONY LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of Chicago, Illinois, offers agents a white field and increased opportunity by writing man, woman and child from ages 0 to 60 on the annual, semi-annual or quarterly premium plan, for amounts going up to $5,000 as regards children, while for adults the limit is $30,000. As the Company writes also sub-standard risks our agents have very few rejections. The Company will give a very liberal commission contract (direct with Home office) to a good personal producer. 25-3tp

ROOMS FOR RENT

ROOM FOR RENT—In modern home, adjoining bath, for gentleman only. Apply 210 Ohio avenue, between 11th and 12th streets. 15-t

OFFICE ROOMS FOR RENT—If you want to rent a nice, new up-to-date office see us. Steen & Dawley, Peoples Bank Bldg. 24—

WANTED

WANTED—A First Class Butcher at once. Apply at Shop, A. F. Cogar successor to H. [illegible]. tf

WANTED—Furnished room for light housekeeping, or use of kitchen. Mrs. E. E. Hawks, Gen. Del. 25-1tp

LOST

LOST OR STOLEN—Overcoat taken at G. A. R. Hall last Saturday night. Party who took coat known, return at once to Hotel St. Cloud. 25-1tp

LOST—Two gaskets for Cole car. Finder please return to Gallatin Electric Shop. 2tp

LOST—In postoffice or Chamber of Commerce or vicinity, coin purse containing $12.00 in bills and check made out to owner, Mrs. M. W. Kitchelt, Reward. Notify Dr. Dodds office. 25-1tp

MISCELLANEOUS

FARMING IN FLORIDA. Know how it is done by reading **The Farmer and Stockman**, published at Jacksonville. Send 15c in stamps for a three months trial subscription. Yearly rate, 50c; three years, $1.00.

FARM MAGAZINE—Read the Florida Trucker, a monthly magazine devoted to the farming and fruit growing industry of Florida. Yearly subscription 50c; three years $1.00. Address Florida Trucker, Box 71, Sanford, Florida. 20-tf

COMRADES—I have wood for sale. Wood yard between 8th and 9th on Delaware ave. Call or address P. O. Box 647. H. F. Hettinger. 15-tf

FRANK HADEY, experienced auto mechanic, will do your work at 50c per hour. Also paints cars. Garage, 100 So. Florida Ave., Cor. 13th.

I OFFER FOR IMMEDIATE CASH SALES

Item 31	2 Town lots close in	$ 350
32	5 acres near town	50
33	3 acres grove & house	5000
34	6 Room House Furished	1100
35	6 Room House N. Y. Ave.	3700
36	8 Room House (with Bath)	2000
37	27 Room House	8000
38	7 Room house (2 lots) This is a Bargain	2800
39	4 Room house	1500
40	6 Room house	3000
41	5 Room house	1500
42	Block Stores	11000
43	2 Lots close in	200
44	5 acre grove	3000
45	2 1¼ acre tracts	200
46	Bungalow (New)	2000
47	Bungalow (New)	2500

Several good dry lots 100 x 150 at reasonable prices.

THE CITIZENS REALTY COMPANY

Box 56 St. Cloud, Florida

I SELL ST. CLOUD PROPERTY ONLY

POLL TAX NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that in order to qualify for City election to be held in St. Cloud, March 28th, poll taxes MUST be paid not later than Saturday, February 28th.

C. L. BANDY
Tax Collector Kissimmee, Fla.

A REAL HOME and MONEY MAKER

SEVEN ROOM HOME, BATH, WIDE PORCHES, FINE WATER, ELECTRIC LIGHTS, EIGHT LOTS, ALL SORTS OF FRUIT CONCRETE WALKS.

HIGH DRY HEALTHY LOCATION ONLY HALF BLOCK FROM TENTH STREET.

PRICE FOR QUICK SALE ONLY

$3500

THE BUILDINGS ARE AS GOOD AS NEW, AND THE LOTS ARE WELL WORTH ALL WE ASK FOR THE PROPERTY.

H. N. GRAY

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